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# AMERICAN DOLLAR DECLINES TO LOWEST LEVEL FOR 60 YEARS

## GERMANY TO RE-ORGANISE THE LEAGUE?

Conciliatory Proposals Reported.

### SYMBOLICAL RE-ARMAMENT INCLUDED

Geneva, To-day.

A report is current in German circles that Germany, early next week, will make concrete proposals for the re-organisation of the League of Nations and the continuation of the Disarmament Conference.

The proposals would be conciliatory but would include symbolical re-armament.

The Bureau of the Disarmament Conference at Geneva, yesterday set up a committee consisting of British, French, Italian, Spanish, Polish and Norwegian delegates to examine the procedure and to report thereon to a further meeting of the Bureau, tomorrow. — Reuter and British Wireless Service.

## BRITAIN ANXIOUS TO DISARM.

If Germany Will Allow Her.

MR. MACDONALD AGAIN.

London, To-day. After a recapitulation of the record of the National Government at Home, the Premier, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, speaking at the Lord Mayor's Banquet last night, turned to the international sphere.

He said that not 21 was spent by Britain that was not honestly necessary for defence. Arms had never yet saved a nation from war, therefore, Great Britain was doing her utmost to remove the grievances of the various nations as regards disarmament. Britain was only too anxious to continue if Germany would allow her to do so.

"Germany must be a signatory to any satisfactory Disarmament convention," he said.

The present position of Germany was not good for her and not good for Europe. It made it nearly impossible to be reasonable and generous.

Baron Von Neurath had hinted that Germany had some new proposals. They would receive the most favourable and impartial consideration, he said. — Reuter.

## MUSSOLINI AS FINANCIER

Italian Government And Industry.

Rome, To-day.

A decree which may revolutionise Italy's methods of financing industry, was presented to the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, by the Premier, Signor Benito Mussolini, for ratification. It permits the Government to guarantee and participate in stock issues of private companies.

The Government will thus guarantee the principal and also a small rate of interest which will be paid regardless of the company's position. — Reuter.

## RELATIONS BETWEEN SOVIET AND AMERICA

Basis Of Agreement Presented To President Roosevelt

Washington, To-day. The foundations of a Soviet-American understanding regarding diplomatic and economic relations, was formulated during a two-hour conference between M. Maxim Litvinoff, the Soviet envoy, who is seeking America's recognition of the U.S.S.R., and the United States Secretary of State, Mr. William Cordell Hull, yesterday.

A basis of agreement was presented to President Roosevelt late yesterday afternoon. — Reuter.

## SILVER RISES IN NEW YORK

Record Volume Of Trading.

### STOCK MARKET UP ON INFLATION TALK

New York, To-day.

A new trading volume record in silver was set yesterday on the New York Exchange. The continued possible remonetisation created bullish sentiment.

The day's excitement was mostly confined to the Foreign Exchange Markets. Business on the Stock Market, however, showed a sharp increase. 2,900,000 shares being traded.

Industrials, rails and utilities advanced .86, .42 and .99 to 56.40, 39.85 and 24.02 respectively, but bonds weakened .20 to 81.54.

The December price advanced from 42.95 cents per ounce to 43.35, while the May quotation rose .25 cents to 44.40 cents.

## SOVIET TO BUY U.S. COTTON.

Big Order When Credit Is Arranged.

New York, To-day.

It was learned here, yesterday that Amtorg, the Russian trading organisation in the United States, has definitely offered to purchase 1,000,000 bales of cotton and 1,250,000 yards of cotton cloth as soon as suitable credit terms are arranged. — Reuter.

## NEW CABINET IN IRAQ.

Jamil Mid Fai As Premier.

Baghdad, To-day.

The new Iraq Cabinet was formed yesterday, with Jamil Mid Fai, ex-President of the Chamber, as Premier.

General Nuri Pasha as Said, Minister of Foreign Affairs in the last Cabinet, retains his post, and will, concurrently, be Minister of Defence in place of Jalal Beg Bajan. — Reuter.

## ADJOURNMENT OF COURT-MARTIAL.

Corporal Doughty In Hospital.

The further hearing of the Court-martial in which Corporals John Doughty and Hayden Braley are charged, with Private William Mc Ardell, with various offences under the Official Secrets Act, of 1911 and 1919, was postponed this morning on account of the illness of Corporal John Doughty, who was admitted to the Military Detaining Hospital, Kowloon, with a temperature of 102 to 103 degrees. Pneumonia is suspected.

## CROSS-RATE AT 5.15 1-2

### SENSATIONAL ADVANCE IN STERLING

EXCHANGE TRADING DEMORALISED.

### ROOSEVELT'S DEPRECIATION POLICY

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

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New York, To-day.

The United States dollar yesterday reached its lowest value for 60 years. At one time during the day the dollar-sterling rate was quoted at £-U.S. 5.15½. The price at 5 p.m. was £-U.S. 5.12.

Late foreign exchange trading was demoralised on account of the sensational advance in sterling, and in many instances dealings were made impossible. Quotations varied considerably throughout the day.

The drop in the dollar is the result of President Roosevelt's depreciation policy. — United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

## INDEPENDENCE OF STERLING

Reserved Statement By Mr. Chamberlain.

London, To-day.

Asked in the House of Commons yesterday, what steps he proposed to take to prevent the pound sterling from rising above dollar parity, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, said that he thought a more correct description of position would be that the dollar had fallen below parity with the pound. The circumstances in which this had happened were well known.

The general policy of the British Government was to retain, for the present, the independence of sterling, as had been explained on several occasions, particularly in the resolutions approved by the Empire delegation at the conclusion of the World Economic Conference. — British Wireless Service.

## SECRET U.S. GOLD DEALINGS.

Price And Amount Not Stated.

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New York, To-day.

The amount and price of the foreign gold purchases made by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for the United States Administration, has not yet been revealed. It is believed, however, that the price is similar to the domestic price. — United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.



The election of the new Sheriff for the City of London to take the place of Mr. Jacob, who recently retired, took place in the Guildhall on October 10, with customary ceremonial. Sir George Broadbridge, F. R. G. S., was elected. The new Sheriff addressing the liverymen after being invested with his robes. (S. & G.)

## DRASTIC LIQUOR LAWS IN NEW YORK

Old Public House Banned.

### MANY SALES RESTRICTIONS

New York, To-day. The old-time Public House is to be banned under the experimental liquor plan announced by New York State. Alcoholic beverage control will become effective after the repeal of prohibition on December 5.

Only hotels, restaurants, clubs and shops, whose revenue is mostly derived from food, may serve liquor and wines at tables.

The sale of bottled liquor for home consumption will be restricted to State licensed retailers and large grocery shops. Curfew hour will be 3 a.m. on week-days. Drink will not be sold before 2 p.m. on Sundays, and no one under the age of 18 will be allowed to buy liquor and wines from shops. — Reuter.

## U.S.\$50,000,000 FOR FARM RELIEF.

45 Cents Per Bushel Of Corn.

Washington, To-day. The United States Secretary of Agriculture, Mr. Henry C. Wallace, yesterday announced that the Reconstruction Finance Corporation have allotted U.S.\$150,000,000 for the relief of farmers, who will receive 45 cents per bushel on corn raised on their farms. — Reuter.

## LOCAL DOLLAR UNCHANGED.

Cross-Rate Soars To 5.13.

The dollar remains unchanged, opening to-day at 1/5. Silver prices advanced 1/16 yesterday, spot closing at 18 9/16 and forward at 18 11/16. The cross rate, London on New York, is £-G\$5.06 and New York on London £-G\$5.13.

## 213,000 OUNCES OF GOLD BOUGHT IN U.S.

Washington, To-day. So far, 213,000 ounces of gold have been purchased by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in the domestic market, according to its Chairman, Mr. James Jones. He declined to state the amount purchased abroad. — Reuter.

## LONDON'S NEW LORD MAYOR

Sir Charles Collett Sworn In.

### MAGNIFICENT PAGEANT OF EMPIRE COMMUNICATIONS

London, To-day.

The new Lord Mayor of London, Sir Charles Collett, was sworn in at the Law Courts yesterday.

Mr. Justice Avory, in congratulating him on taking over the ancient office, said he could begin his duties with the knowledge that the prospect of prosperity in Britain was more cheerful than it had been for years past.

The annual Lord Mayor's procession yesterday attracted the usual great crowds. The most elaborate feature was a pageant of Empire Communications. In this the General Post Office, Imperial Airways, the P. and O. Steamship Company, the British Railway Companies, the Canadian Pacific Company, Cables and Wireless, Limited, and the Marconi Company presented tableaux.

There were also models of the first steam engine, the first steamship to lay trans-Atlantic cables and, by way of contrast, models of fast aeroplane and of a modern liner passing under Sydney Harbour bridge. — British Wireless Service.

## ARMISTICE DAY IN LONDON.

King To Take Part In Cenotaph Service.

London, To-day.

According to present arrangements the King will attend the Armistice Day ceremony at the Cenotaph in Whitehall tomorrow.

Later in the day Their Majesties the King and Queen will proceed to Sandringham, where the Court will remain for just over one week before returning to Buckingham Palace. — British Wireless Service.

## MORE VOTES FOR WOMEN.

Privilege In Philippines.

Manila, To-day.

Women in the Philippine Islands will be entitled to exercise their vote after January 1, 1935. — Reuter.

## FUNING IN HANDS OF BANDITS

Peking, To-day. It is reported here, to-day that the bandit remnants have recaptured Puning. — Reuter.

## MENACE OF SECRET DRUG FACTORIES IN FAR EAST

Geneva Report Stresses Increase In Cocaine Smuggling To India

Geneva, To-day.

The danger of clandestine drug factories in China, and the Far East, was emphasised in a report dealing with the illicit traffic of narcotics, which was adopted by the Opium Advisory Committee, yesterday.

The report calls attention to the increasing smuggling of cocaine to India from the Far East. — Reuter.

## FORTRESS BOMBARDED IN HAVANA

Gunboats Fire From Harbour.

2,000 REBELS SURRENDER AFTER FIGHTING

Havana, To-day.

The fortress of Atares, here 2,000 Cuban rebels were entrenched, surrendered yesterday after a heavy bombardment in which two Cuban gunboats joined in from Havana harbour.

Many were wounded in the fighting, and two stray shells razed two houses in a suburb. The inhabitants, panicked and evacuated the neighbourhood. Ex-President Cespedes y Ortiz is reported to have taken refuge in a foreign Legation. — Reuter.

## NO INTERVENTION BY AMERICA.

Washington, To-day.

High Government authorities here have reiterated that the United States is not considering intervention in Cuba, despite the many requests from private sources that they should take action. — Reuter.

## ANOTHER CHINESE AIR CRASH.

Plane Destroyed But Pilot Unhurt.

Foochow, To-day.

Another air accident occurred here on Wednesday, when an army plane, No. 6, belonging to the Fokien Military Headquarters, caught fire and crashed during a test demonstration. Fortunately the pilot was unhurt.

Four men were killed yesterday at Mulhausen, north-eastern Kwangtung, when two military planes crashed from an altitude of over 1,000 feet. — Central News Agency.

## BERT HALL RECEIVES GAOL TERM.

American Aviator Sentenced.

Tientsin, To-day.

Lieutenant Bert Hall, soldier of fortune, author, and war-time American aviator, was sentenced to 2½ years' imprisonment on McNell Island. In the Tientsin American Court this morning on a charge of misappropriating \$9,775 entrusted to him by General Ba Chou-kee.

The money was intended for the purchase of arms for the North-eastern Army.

## MALAYA SCORE WELL AT K.C.C.

156 For 6 Against United Services.

### GARTHWAITE BOWLS WELL

Sensational Collapse Of Navy Batmen

Winning the toss and sending Malaya in to bat Capt. Peter Williams, the United Services' skipper, caused some surprise at the K. C. C. this morning.

His policy on a perfect wicket looked as if it might justify itself when Croome was sent back with 18 runs on the board, but a very sound fifth wicket stand by L. Alvis (41) and B. S. Gill (32), which realised 78 runs and enabled Malaya to total 156 in the 120 minutes' play before lunch.

Gaithwaite bowled exceedingly well for his 3 wickets. His figures for his first spell with the ball were:—

O M R W  
14 3 25 8  
He was given an over before lunch, and bowled a maiden.

## NO ANNOUNCEMENT OF HONG KONG CHANGES

Decision After 4.30 p.m.

When interviewed by a China Mail representative this afternoon Mr. Tom Hayward, the Hong Kong Cricket Club captain and a member of the Interport Cricket Selection Committee, said that the chances in the Hong Kong side to win at Shanghai to-morrow would not be announced before 4.30 p.m. to-day.

Burn batted enterprisingly for his 32, scored out of 51, but was almost out to Richards in the same manner he was to Hamilton in the second innings of the Interport. The ball cocked up, hit him, and just dropped wide of the stumps.

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Scores:		Malaya	
V. Croome, c Barnaby, b Garthwaite	5		
D. C. Burn, b Eaden	82		
Eu Chow Teik, c and b Garthwaite	10		
R. G. Gibson, b Garthwaite	7		
L. Alvis, lb.w., b Barnaby	41		
B. S. Gill, b Bonavia	32		
Morgan at Walker, b Richards	18		
W. O. Jonkias, b Garthwaite	8		
P. R. Lewis, c Cutler, b Eaden	7		
W. W. Dean, b Garthwaite	1		
C. A. Speldwinde, not out	0		
Extras	17		
Total	163		

Fall of the wickets.		Bowling Analysis.	
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10	18 29 51 59 125 143 154 156 158 163	O. M. R. W.	
Garthwaite	20	6	32
Richards	8	1	17
Eaden	10.3	1	29
Morris	2	1	10
Barnaby	4	1	25
Cutler	5	0	22
Bonavia	2	1	6

UNITED SERVICES		First Innings	
Major Bonavia b Gill	0		
Lt. Walker c Alvis b Jonkias	5		
Lt. Garthwaite b Gill	1		
Capt. Williams b Jonkias	4		
Sub. Lt. Sinclair, not out	1		
Lt. Comdr. Stephenson b Jonkias	0		
Capt. Cutler not out	0		
Extras	5		

for 5 wickets		Fall of the wickets	
1 2 3 4 5	8 9 14 15 25		





# The WOMAN'S Page



## Paris Creations Show Variety

Subtle Concealment  
In Evening Gowns.  
Preferred.

### CONVENIENT SWAGGER COATS

It is not any broad sweeping general statement that sums up the characteristic of any one season in fashions. True, there are certain definite rules having to do with skirt length and waist placement that must be closely adhered to if one is to be smartly dressed. But aside from that the spirit of our age is diversity and variety, and long slim lines for evening will appear next to be ruffled full skirts and both will be completely elegant. It is the details that mark a season, just as the bouquet of a wine to a connoisseur will disclose the year.

Take evening décolletés, for instance. There are certain details concerning them that will mark them indisputably as 1933 and not any other season or epoch. The very much décolleté all-revealing cut of an evening corsage is out, and no one who takes these things seriously could possibly let herself be seen in a harness décolleté or in a evening corsage that utilizes only enough material for the necessary minimum of modesty.

### Subtle Concealment.

The order of the day, or rather evening, is subtle concealment. And the evening neckline is as modest as that of daytime dresses. The most beloved line is the high front, fairly deep V back. And when I say high front, I really mean high. So much so that Worth even shows one or two evening dresses with the front of the bodice mounting into a little stock collar.

For those who have not been endowed with the long swan necks which make high necklines possible, the softly rounded or the shallow V line, only a little deeper behind than in front is the one to go in for. All of Schiaparelli's new evening gowns have softly rounded lines, cut only a little below the base of the throat. And I am firmly convinced that the fairly high neck out of which the head seems to rise like a flower, is the most flattering to most women.

### Swagger Coats.

Everybody said the swagger coat was doomed, that it would not last another season, that women were tired of it, and that particularly the couturiers of Paris would not dream of showing one in their new collection. People who should have known better denied my assertion that the swagger coat was too convenient a type of garment to be given up either by women or the Paris dressmakers. This was before the winter collections were

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## NOW SEASON FOR LITTLE HATS

Diminutive Models Are  
Growing In Height.

The large shady hats of the summer have vanished from the millinery salons. It is to be a season of little hats and caps that take most piquant lines. Certainly the diminutive models that the mannequins are now displaying with their tailored suits and afternoon gowns are growing in height, and they have lost their one-sided exaggeration, but they rarely break out into brims, unless made in felt and of the revived boat-shape style.

Colour favourites at this early stage are red and green, both in bright shades.

## Menu Suggestions For To-morrow

### TIFFIN

Green Corn Omelette  
Mutton Charlotte  
Baked Sweet Potatoes  
Viennese Pudding

### DINNER

Cream Soup  
Boiled Smoked Salmon  
Mustard Sauce  
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Mustard Sauce  
Broiled Quail  
Potato Souffles  
Bacon Sauce  
Egg Salad in Aspic  
Baked Lemon Pudding  
Green Corn Omelette

Beat the yolks of 4 eggs until thick and light add  $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon salt,  $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon pepper, 1 teaspoon sugar,  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup boiled corn cut from the cob. Beat whites of 4 eggs until stiff, add 4 tablespoons hot water to corn mixture, then fold in the beaten whites of eggs. Melt  $\frac{1}{2}$  tablespoons butter in a frying pan, butter the sides and turn in mixture, spread evenly. Cook 10 minutes on top of stove, then finish cooking in oven. Fold as puff omelette on a serving dish. Pour around cheese or tomato sauce.

### Mutton Charlotte

Take a few slices of mutton and a few tomatoes. Grate some breadcrumbs and place a few on the bottom of a greased tin, then put a layer of mutton and next a layer of tomatoes. Season with salt, pepper and a little chopped onion. Let the top layer be tomatoes, with a sprinkle of breadcrumbs and dripping. Bake  $\frac{3}{4}$  hour.

### Viennese Pudding

$\frac{2}{3}$  oz. stale bread,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. sugar;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. sultanas; grated rind of half a lemon; 2 yolks of eggs;  $\frac{1}{4}$  pint milk. Cut the bread into small dice and mix with the sultanas, sugar and grated lemon rind. Put the sugar into a saucepan with a little water, and put on the stove to burn till a dark brown. Add the milk to it and let the caramel melt in it. Pour this when not boiling on to the yolks of the eggs. Then strain over the ingredients and pour into a well greased mould. Steam for  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour. Serve hot with vanilla custard.

### Cream Soup

Wash and grate a carrot, chop 2 (or water) until soft enough to onions and peel and slice 4 potatoes. Cook in a little white stock

### Plaid Smartness



Dressy wool and taffeta plaid high-light this smart ensemble, worn by Sally Ellers, screen player. The body of the coat is cinnamon color, trimmed with green, beige and brown taffeta. The buttons are of wood. Under the coat, Miss Ellers wears a dress of light beige wool.

## HOW TO SIMPLIFY MAKE-UP

Hints For Blondes  
And Brunettes.

So detailed and helpful are the instructions of the beauty specialists upon the colours of powder, lipstick and rouge to be used by women of the blonde and brunette types, that there is little excuse nowadays for inartistic make-up.

One specialist has a circular colour card with an ingenious automatic arrangement that gives the immediate answer to any problem of matching colours to hair and eyes and skin. Another has a colourscope, which differentiates between the goldenhaired blonde, the Titian blonde, and the ash-blonde, and gives in detail the correct make-up for white hair.

The golden-haired blonde should use a natural shade of powder with a blue eye shadow, with a natural pink lipstick and a brown eyebrow pencil, the ash-blonde type of woman needs the ethereal pearl shade of powder, the orange rouge and lipstick and a mauve eye shadow. Peach tinted powder, natural rouge, and a rather bright lipstick are advised for the white-haired woman with fair skin.

### GOOSE FEATHERS AS FLOWERS

Goose feathers, treated by artistic fashion experts, are a feature of the most exclusive dress displays. Lacquered in a deep but vivid red shade the feathers of geese have proved to be the ideal plumage for the large fluffy blooms that appear on smart evening and afternoon gowns this season.



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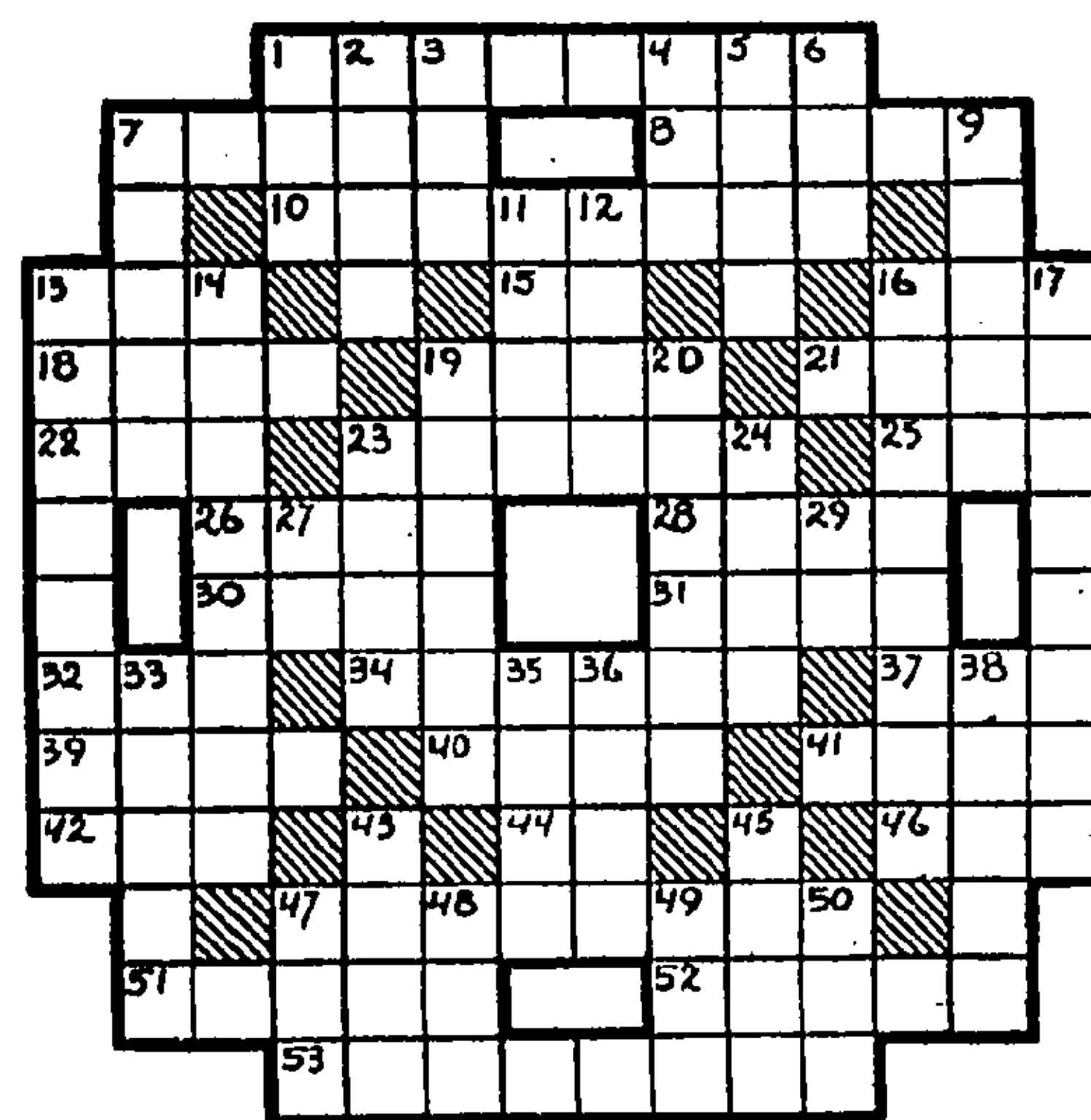
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## DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



### HORIZONTAL

- 1-Agree
- 7-Tempt
- 8-Bird homes
- 10-Bartenders
- 13-Series
- 15-Associate of Arts (abbr.)
- 16-Falseness
- 18-The linden tree
- 19-A serpent (pl.)
- 21-Kitchen utensil (pl.)
- 22-A lofty mountain
- 23-Goddess of wisdom (Gr. Myth.)
- 25-Foot-like organ
- 26-Segment
- 28-Prent. Against
- 30-Fifty-seven (Roman)
- 31-A land measure
- 32-Fish eggs
- 34-Ascended
- 37-Account (abbr.)
- 38-Makes a mistake

### HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 40-Girl's name
- 41-Genuine
- 42-Sister (short)
- 44-South latitude (abbr.)
- 46-Years (abbr.)
- 47-Rural in spirit
- 51-Brother's child
- 52-Accumulate
- 53-A writer of news

### VERTICAL

- 1-Small bed
- 2-Verbal
- 3-Mischiefous child
- 4-Feminine suffix
- 5-The sensitive or true skin
- 6-A letter
- 7-A metal
- 9-Glitter
- 11-Window frame
- 12-Narrow twilled material

### VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 13-The natural height of man (pl.)
- 14-Drinkers
- 16-Worker in precious stones
- 17-Perfumes
- 18-Adorn
- 20-Trapped
- 23-Metody
- 24-Soon
- 27-A thoroughfare (abbr.)
- 29-Preposition
- 32-A constellation
- 35-Instant (abbr.)
- 36-Place for storing
- 38-Curdles
- 43-A front
- 45-Renown
- 47-Preposition, by
- 48-Separate (abbr.)
- 49-A rodent
- 50-Etruscan god

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in To-morrow's issue.

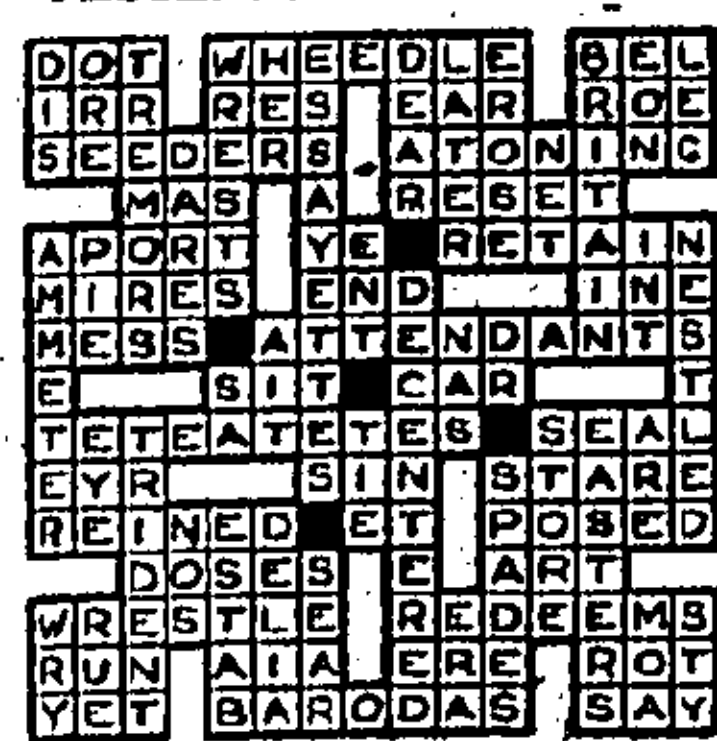
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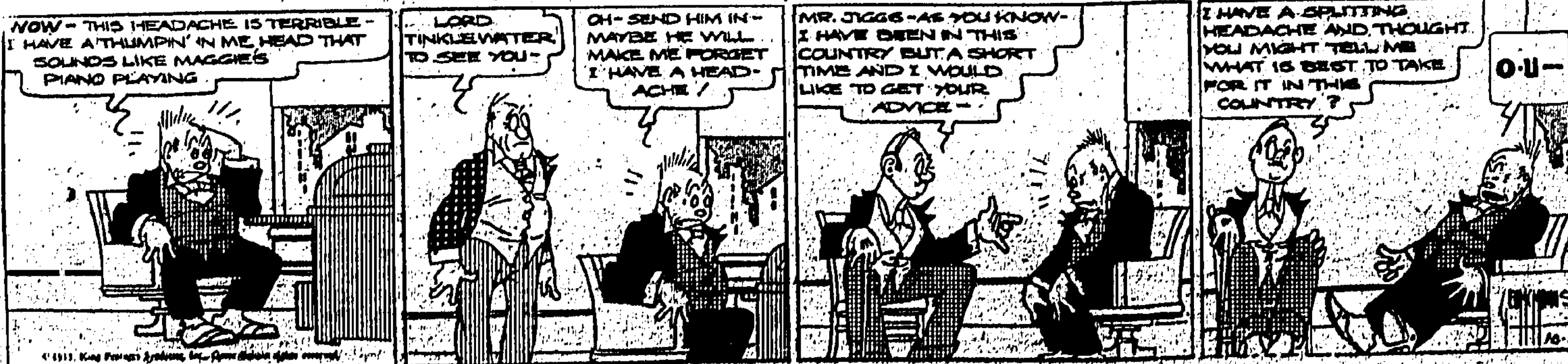
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Hong Kong, 7th November, 1933.

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### BRIDGE NOTES

## LIGHT OPENING BIDS.

(By ELY CULBERTSON)

It has always been my belief that minimum hands should be opened at the Contract table in either the first or second position, whereas, after previous passes, players either Third or Fourth Hand should not open without slightly stronger hands. This rule is modified to a certain extent as applied to the third position by the advisability of establishing the bidding defence against a possible strong hand held by the player who has yet to speak. For example, I should advise opening the bidding Third Hand, after two passes, with some such holding as

Spades A K Q x x x and with practically nothing else in the hand.

Some Bridge players recently adopted the plan of passing light Opening bids First and Second Hand and opening on busts at Third and Fourth hand. This policy against good players in the long run is bound to prove a losing one. In some cases it even pays to shade the requirements for an Opening bid. However, this should not go too far.

In the days of a former international match, I was able to make a game on one hand by reason of a light Opening bid, which, where the British players sat North and South, was not made. The hand was:

East, Dealer. East and West vulnerable.

North:—

S.—K J 2

H.—A 6 2

D.—8 5 4 3

C.—K J 9

West:—

S.—A 5

H.—J 9 7 3

D.—J 7 2

C.—8 6 4 2

East:—

S.—10 7 4 3

H.—8 5 4

D.—A Q 10 9

C.—A 5

South:—

S.—Q 9 8 6

H.—K Q 10

D.—K 6

C.—Q 10 7 3

The hand was played in a team-of-four match, one team representing in America and the other England in Room 1, where I played South and Mr. Theodore A. Lightner North, the bidding went: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs). East South West North Pass INT (1) Pass SNT (2) Pass Pass Pass

1—While South's hand is not of commanding strength, it is in my opinion, too strong to pass. It contains 2½ plus honour-tricks. North and South are not vulnerable, and East and West are.

2—North has a balanced distribution and 3 honour-tricks. Perhaps current usage would suggest a bid of only two notrump. However, even if this were the bid and South then passed, a valuable part-score would be made, compared with the blank score made by the players who failed to bid at all.

In the other room, two representatives of England were seated North and South, and the hand was passed by all players. East, of course, did not have a sound Opening bid vulnerable, as the hand contains only 2½ honour-tricks and extremely unfavourable

## Their Throne in Danger



King Prajadhipok and Queen Rambharn of Siam, whose rule is threatened by a new rebellion in their country. Reports from Bangkok indicate the revolt is spreading, even part of the army and navy having joined the movement to oust the present government.

## RADIO

### TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

12.30 p.m.—European programme of recorded music.

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

1.15 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News, etc. 2 p.m.—Close Down. Selections from the Studio by Ted Castro & His Boy Friends.

Relay of the Cheero Dance Band from Lane Crawford's Restaurant.

4.30-7 p.m.—Chinese recorded programme.

7-10.30 p.m.—European programme

7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.3-7.30 p.m.—Transcription Programme.

7.30-8 p.m.—From the Studio.

The 3rd of a Series of Lessons in Cantonese by the Rev. Mr. H. R. Wells.

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

8.3-8.45 p.m.—From the Studio.

Selections by Ted Castro & His Boy Friends.

8.45-9 p.m.—Selections by De Groot & His Orchestra, (from Z.B.W.'s Library).

Waldteufel Memories (arr. Finck) Samson and Delilah—Selection (Saint-Saens)

Louise—Selection (Charpentier)

9.45-10 p.m.—A Recital of Gramophone Records by Mr. C. B. R. Sargent.

9.45-10.30 p.m.—A Relay of the Cheero Band from the M.C.L. Dance at Lane Crawford's Restaurant, by courtesy of the Committee and Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m.—Close Down.

distribution.

The contract of three notrump on this hand could be beaten with an Opening diamond lead, as East and West must in that event make 3 diamond tricks, the Ace of clubs and Ace of spades. However, in Bridge it will rarely be found that every possible trick is taken by the defending players. The difficulty of establishing the best defence is so great that in practice, if not in theory, the play of the hand is worth a trick.

## ROUND HONG KONG'S CINEMA THEATRES

### MAIL REVIEW

#### RACKETY RAX—KING'S THEATRE

A strong comedy cast appears in support of Victor McLaglen in "Rackety Rax," now showing at the King's Theatre.

Greta Nissen, who has the role of a platinum blonde, shares honours in the comedy scenes with Neil Cruse, and conceals a feather O'Day, from the musical comedy stage.

Both Majorie Beebe as the racketeer's "battling" wife and Esther Howard as a "fixer lady" or a go-between, have parts which supply plenty of laughter.

The comedians in "Rackety Rax" are Arthur Pierson, as a sporting press agent, Allan Dinehart as a College professor, Allen Jenkins, Vince Barnett, Stanley Fields and John Keyes.

### MAIL REVIEW

#### "MIDNIGHT MARY"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

"Midnight Mary," the powerful crook drama which is now showing at the Queen's Theatre, brings a strong cast of favourite stars headed by Loretta Young, Ricardo Cortez, Franchot Tone, Andy Devine and Una Merkel into one super-production.

It is a thrilling story of life in the upper strata of crookdom. Loretta Young is forced by circumstances to join a gang of crooks. Events move at lightning speed as the gang gets more ambitious in their operations. Miss Young falls in love with Tone, a successful young attorney. When the gangster leader decides to kill Tone the dramatic tension mounts to a terrific tempo.

In the supporting cast are Frank Conroy, Warren Hymer, Ivan Simpson, Harold Huber, Sandy Roth, Martha Sleeper, Charles Grapewin, Halliwell Hobbes and Robert Emmett O'Connor.

### MAIL REVIEW

#### "SUMMER LIGHTNING"—CENTRAL THEATRE

Ralph Lynn's eskimo fooling has always been a joy and his work in the new film "Summer Lightning," the current attraction at the Central Theatre, is no exception.

The story is characteristic burst of P. G. Wodehouse's brilliant non-in the comedy scenes with Neil Cruse, and conceals a feather O'Day, from the musical comedy stage.

Ralph Lynn makes an ideal Wodehouse hero, trading in that absurdity which has made the author famous the world over. These characteristic fatuities keep the plot moving at a great pace.

Miles Mallowson, as the butler, is an admirable comedy accomplice to the star, and Winifred Shotter, justly described as Lynn's ideal partner, brings all her demure wickedness to the leading feminine role. Dorothy Bouchier is a vivacious chorus girl out of the hero's past.

Others who figure prominently are Gordon James, Esme Percy, Helen Ferrers and Horace Hodges.

### MAIL REVIEW

#### FAST WORKERS—STAR THEATRE

John Gilbert, one of the most famous lovers the silent annals screens have ever known, is seen in an entirely new role in "Fast Workers," now showing at the Star Theatre.

A romantic episode on the ground leads to an enmity between two rivet experts on a giant building under construction.

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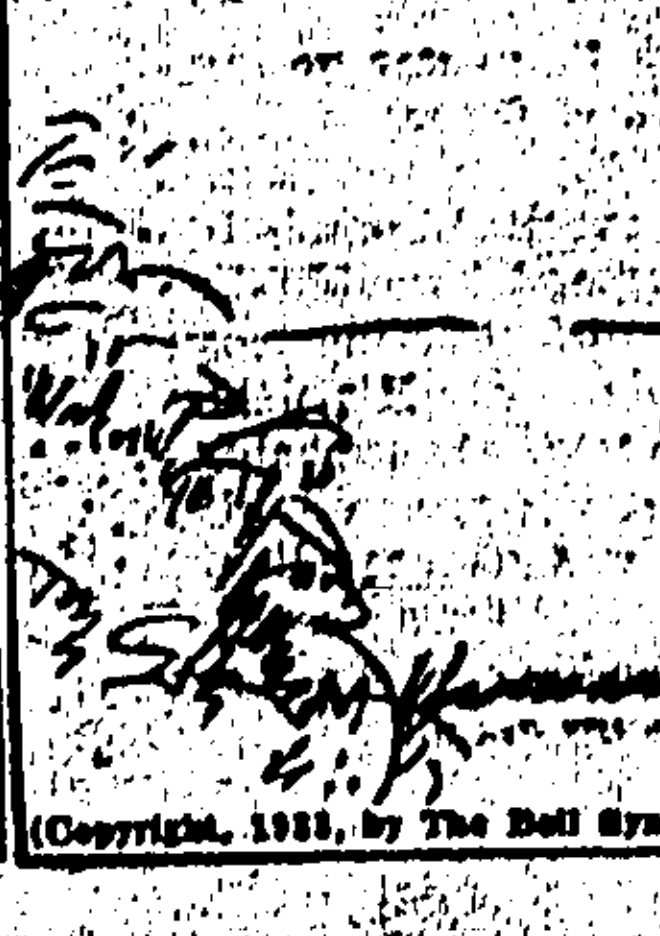
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# Sporting Page

## COLONY AND WOODEN SPOON IN INTERPORT CRICKET SERIES

### SHANGHAI HAVE WELL BALANCED SIDE TURNING POINT OF GAME AGAINST MALAYA

#### BECK MAY PLAY TO-MORROW

(By ATHOLE).

THE first of the three Interport Cricket matches has been decided, and Hong Kong is now in grave danger of securing the wooden spoon.

Speaking to members of the Shanghai team I understand that the Northerners have sent down probably one of the best balanced sides in the history of the series. C. G. W. Robson and S. R. Kermani, both of whom played against Eric Mitchell side last year, and O. G. Simpson are the only three who were worth their places but who were unable to make the trip.

Hong Kong encountered bad luck against Malaya—they lost the services of Frank Goodwin early in the first innings of the game, and Archie Hamilton as a bowler in the second innings—but our clever fougat an uphill game in magnificent manner. The breaking up of the Williams-Garthwaite partnership by Gill proved the turning point of the match when Hong Kong were 81 for 3. At lunch we needed 39 runs to win and Owen Hughes was at the wicket. His dismissal in the first over after lunch, however, spelled defeat.

THERE will probably be several changes in the Colony team to meet Shanghai to-morrow. Goodwin will be unable to play and I understand that Arthur Beck, who took 95 wickets for the Club and whose fast bowling met with great success during the Hong Kong side's tour of Somerset last summer, will fill the vacancy.

The selectors could have made no better change as Beck is just the type of bowler for the Club wicket.

Archie Hamilton may not play on account of the strained leg muscle he sustained while bowling on Wednesday. He has stood down from the Services team to meet Malaya to-day. Should he be omitted Ernie Fincher will probably be included, a move which should strengthen the batting but not aid the attack.

There are rumours of Redmond and Garthwaite being dropped, but I do not think there is much truth in them. Redmond did not come up to expectations, but it must be remembered that the Malaya players knew all about him before he was given the ball. He should do considerably better against Shanghai.

Garthwaite batted very confidently in his second innings and maintained a high standard of fielding throughout. His bowling was seriously handicapped by his tendency to no-ball. He was no-balled five times in 9 overs. Having got over his first Interport I feel sure Garthwaite will be seen to much better advantage against Shanghai.

The outstanding players in the Colony side were undoubtedly Harry Owen Hughes, Alec Pearce and G. S. Dunkley. Dunkley failed with the bat, though the ball that beat him in the second innings was probably the best one of the match, but he proved invaluable to the attack, taking 6 for 55 in 16 overs in the match.

I pointed out at the time of the selection of the team that a No. 5 or 6 batsman was required to stop a "rot" and my criticism proved correct. In the first innings Owen Hughes, whose selection I did not favour, stepped into the breach in the most creditable manner, but in the second knock there was no one to offer a reliable defence.

Owen Hughes committed himself in his first captaincy and I would take this opportunity of offering my sincere congratulations. His fielding during the game was probably the finest seen on the ground, his innings of 40 was an excellent knock under the most trying conditions, and his handling of the Colony attack was very sound.

Malaya are deserving of the highest praise for a magnificent uphill fight, but I feel sure the better team lost. The visitors' ground (holding yesterday was very keen, but numerous missed chances, Speldewinde being the biggest offender, should have enabled Hong Kong to secure victory.

THE following are the complete results of the series:

1890—H. K.—Innings and 147	1890—H. K.—Seven wickets
1891—Malaya—167 runs	1891—Malaya—Innings and 79
1901—H. K.—129 runs	1901—H. K.—Nine wickets
1904—Malaya—95 runs	1904—Malaya—36 runs
1926—H. K.—Two wickets	1926—Malaya—Innings and 112
1927—H. K.—Innings and 25	1927—H. K.—Four wickets
1928—H. K.—14 runs	

Played in Singapore.

Hong Kong ..... 7  
Malaya ..... 6

I understand that J. L. Rawthorne will be Shanghai's twelfth man for to-morrow's game.

L. F. Stokes, who will probably open the Shanghai innings with P. V. Simpson, batted brilliantly in the nets yesterday afternoon, and should score a lot of runs in the series.

Leach, Booth, Isaacs, Pat Madar, Simpson, and Wilson were members of the victorious Shanghai team in the 1931 match in the Colony.

The Shanghai team is as follows:—D. W. Leach (captain), R. Booth, J. A. Isaacs, J. C. Jenkin, P. Madar, T. A. Madar, J. F. N. Mayhew, J. L. Rawthorne, P. V. Simpson, A. C. Sinclair, L. F. Stokes, and T. W. R. Wilson.

Manager—H. T. Smith.

Major Bonavia, who scored 58 not out against the Signals on Wednesday, will probably take Hamilton's place in the Services team to-day at the K.C.C. He scored a lot of runs when stationed in Shanghai recently.

The K.C.C. will be considerably weakened by the absence of Goodwin for their game against Malaya on Sunday, and there is a possibility that Arthur Lay will be unable to play. "Starling" Jex, the first reserve, may be seen behind the stumps while Mackay may be expected to bowl as a bowler. Teddy Fincher will lead the side.

The following have been selected to represent the Kowloon Cricket Club against Malaya on Sunday at the K.C.C. commencing at 11 a.m.:—E. C. Fincher (captain), R. Jex, E. F. Fincher, F. A. Munn, W. C. Hume, A. T. Lay, N. A. E. Mackay, E. C. Gilling, G. C. Barnett, C. I. Stappes and C. B. E. Sargent.



UNUSUAL mounts for famous jockeys! Gordon Richards (right) and Freddie Fox, leading during their Special Challenge Donkey race with Flanagan and Allen, the well-known Variety artists, at the Boxers v Jockeys annual sports at the West Ham Stadium.—(S. & G.)

### "Y" LADIES DRAW WITH THE SAINTS

#### Poor Combination At Forward.

#### NOTABLE ABSENTEES ON BOTH SIDES

(BY STICKS).

IN a friendly game on the Diocesan Girl's School ground yesterday the St. Andrew's Ladies held a fast "Y" Ladies team to a goalless draw.

The "Y" Ladies had the better of play throughout, but poor combination in the forward line was responsible for their failure to score. Miss O. Dalziel and Miss O. Brown played up to their usual form, but the inside forwards failed to respond.

Miss S. Dalziel, the "Y" Ladies Captain, was a spectator, following an attack of malaria. Her place at centre-half was taken by Miss Joan Wilson.

The Saint's team was very weak in defence, and were it not for the good work put in by Miss Jessie Wong, at centre-half the result might have been very different. Miss M. Churn, Miss P. Glittins, Miss G. White and Miss I. Woolley were notable absentees from the Saints team.

Miss O. Brown missed a golden opportunity to score in the first half when with only the goal-keeper to beat she shot wide. In the second half, Miss J. Weller, in goal for the "Y", made a brilliant save from Miss M. Woolley.

"Y" Ladies: J. Weller, A. Fowler and Mrs. Portallion; B. Blumenthal, J. Wilson and M. Gardiner; O. Brown, P. McCaw, M. Griffiths, R. Blackmore and O. Dalziel.

#### "Y" HOCKEY DANCE

The "Y" Ladies and the Y.M.C.A. Hockey Clubs are holding a dance in the West Lounge of the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesday night, commencing at 9 p.m. The Cheero Band will be in attendance.

#### INCIGNITOS v CLUB "A"

The following will represent the Incignitos in a friendly match against the Hong Kong Hockey Club "A" team at King's Park to-day at 5 p.m.

N. A. Barros; A. A. dos Remedios and F. G. Barros; P. M. N. da Silva, W. A. Reed (Captain) and C. F. Victor, C. E. Barros, J. M. Pintos, A. M. Xavier, A. J. Banto and R. O. Reed.

#### LINCOLNS v JATS

The following will play for the Lincolns against the Jats in a friendly hockey encounter on the Marina ground this afternoon, commencing at 4.30 p.m.

Hollingsworth, Bentley and L. Rol-

### TWO PLAYERS SUSPENDED

#### Sequel To Sunday's Incident.

#### SOUTH CHINA AND S.W.B. GAME

Sgt. Underwood, captain of the Borderers first eleven, and Tay Quee-liang, South China latest acquisition, have both been suspended by the Emergency Committee of the Football Association until December 1, as a result of the incident in the South China v Borderers game on Sunday, November 5.

#### INTERPORT SOCCER.

#### Invitation Received From Shanghai.

#### GAME NEXT CHINESE NEW YEAR

Mr. G. T. May, Hon. Secretary of the Hong Kong Football Association, has received an invitation from the Shanghai Football Association for Hong Kong to send a team North for an Interport contest next Chinese New Year.

When Hong Kong last visited Shanghai they secured an unexpected victory, Shanghai regaining the trophy in February this year when they defeated the Colony team at Happy Valley.

Toyne, Morrell, Trow, L. Wilson and L. Hocquard.

#### SAINTS BEAT SIGNALS

The St. Andrew's Club showed traces of their old form yesterday when they defeated the Royal Corps Signals by 2 goals to nil on the Marina ground. E. F. Fincher, was the marksman on both occasions. Cross played a brilliant game in goal for the Signals.

#### H. K. LADIES "A" TEAM

The following will represent the Hong Kong Ladies' Hockey Club "A" XI in a match against St. Andrew's Ladies, on the Marina ground to-morrow at 2.45 p.m.:—M. Bird, C. Robertson, R. Halbling, M. Wallace, B. Pope, H. K. Lowe, E. Ball, J. Dalziel, E. Bonnar, J. Churchill, E. Selby.

#### H. K. LADIES "B" TEAM

The following will represent the Hong Kong Ladies' Hockey Club "B" XI in a match against the Club de Recreio Ladies at Sookun-poo to-morrow at 8.15 p.m.:—J. Harris, Walker, M. King, H. Wulake, V. Blackburn, E. Hume, F. Thorpe, M. Bishop, M. Ratty, S. Adams, K. Varnall, E. King.

#### Weew-End Football

### SERVICES SHOULD BEAT THE REST EIGHT JUNIOR LEAGUE SOCCER GAMES

#### SOUTH CHINA AND LEADERS IN ACTION ON SUNDAY

(By Outside Left).

AS a result of the Charity football game to-morrow between the Combined Services and the Rest of the Colony, the League programme this week-end has been curtailed, two postponed First Division games taking place on Sunday, while three Second Division and five Third Division games are down for decision to-morrow.

At Sookunpoo to-morrow the Combined Services, representing practically the best team available in the Colony, will clash with what is supposed to be the best the Association can field. The ultimate result will probably rest on the Rest's defence, which I consider not strong enough to hold the fast military forwards.

The following are the teams:—The Rest:—Wong Wing (S.C.A.A.); Hill (Kowloon) and S. Strange (Club); Leung Wing-chui (S.C.A.A.); Chan-ning (Police) and S. Bilas (Kowloon); (captain); Tang Kwong-sun (Athletic); Tam Kong-pak (S.C.A.A.); Howe (Club); Strange (Club) and Blake (Kowloon).

Combined Services:—Pte. Heath (Lincolns); Bdr. Allan (Artillery); Pte. Morrison (Borderers); A. B. Purkins (H.M.S. Orpheus); L/Cpl. Cork (Lincolns); E. R. A. McGuire (H.M.S. Suffolk); B. R. M. S. Snook (Artillery); Pte. Mid. Smith (H.M.S. Suffolk); Sio Langmead (H.M.S. Berwick); L/Cpl. Ridley (Lincolns) and L. J. H. Hocquard (Lincolns) (captain).

Reserves:—Pte. Harris (S.W.B.); L/Cpl. Baldry (Lincolns); Pte. Podmore (S.W.B.); A. B. James (H.M.S. Berwick); A. B. Faits (H.M.S. Kopp); Reference:—Capt. E. Hague R.A. Linemen:—Yeoman of Signals McMurray (H.M.S. Berwick) and C. M. S. Hyde (S.W.B.).

The Club will once again face defeat at home to-morrow when they meet the Navy as the latter have practically the whole Fleet at their disposal.

"The East Lancashire Regiment have withdrawn from the Second and Third Divisions of the Hong Kong Football League but will fulfill all their First Division obligations."

This was the information given me by Mr. G. T. May, Hon. Secretary of the Hong Kong Football Association.

Mr. May said that from information he had received it would appear that the East Lancashire do not think it worth while sending in three teams from Sun Wai Camp, Fanling, where they are now stationed and where they will be quartered until February.

Question of Expense

The sending of three teams 40 miles every week-end will involve considerable expenditure, and in view of the Regiment not coming into Hong Kong until the latter stages of the League, they have followed out a very wise policy.

The East Lancashires will, however, play their outstanding First Division games, and with meet St. Joseph's next week-end in their local debut.

As a result of their decision with regard to the Second, and Third Divisions, their games against the R.A. and the R.A.M.C. to-morrow have been cancelled.

The Young Indians, who were badly swamped by the Borderers last week, will meet South China at Caroline Hill to-morrow when the latter are expected to repeat the Borderers' triumph.

Borderers Should Win

In the Third Division to-morrow the Borderers, last year's holders, should beat the Services Corps, while the Radio should have the better of the Recreio in what will probably be a closely contested match.

The Lincolns, who are the leaders in the Third Division, should gain another two valuable points at the expense of the Air Force, while the Royal Engineers will probably triumph over the Variety.

### EWIN v. FRAGGOTT ON DEC. 2

#### China Middleweight Champion And Local Holder.

#### SPLENDID PROGRAMME ANTICIPATED

Seaman Harry Swin, middleweight boxing champion of China, has been matched against A. B. Fraggott, Colony champion, at the Lee Theatre on December 2.

Ewin last fought in the Colony when he beat Jock Creighton on points for the Colony title prior to going Home.

An interesting card is expected to support this main bout, and Foley, Barry, Percy Lake, and Green are expected to make appearances.

### GLOUCESTER'S BIG RUGBY WIN.

#### Oxford University And Greyhounds Beaten.

London, To-day.

Gloucester secured an overwhelming win over the Oxford Greyhounds in their home Rugby match yesterday, winning by 38 points to nil.

Leicester did not play their fixture against Cambridge University, but entertained Oxford University, whom they beat by 12 points to 8.

Oxford Greyhounds beat the Dark Blues earlier this season.

The annual Inter-University match will be played at Twickenham on Tuesday, December 12.—Reuter.

### "C" COY. BORDERERS BEAT R.A.M.C.

#### Lucky Win By The Odd Goal.

"C" Company of the Borderers defeated the Royal Army Medical Corps by 2 goals to 1 in a friendly football game at Happy Valley yesterday.

The Borderers were lucky to win as the Medical Corps dominated play for the major part of the game. Luker and Duncan scored for the Borderers and Sgt. Saybury replied for the Medicals.

### BARRON'S ALL-ROUND FEAT

H.M.S. Eagle defeated H.M.S. Berwick by 40 runs at Happy Valley yesterday afternoon. Barron of the winning team, knocked up 58 runs, the highest score of the day, and took four wickets.

The Eagle scored 84 and the Berwick replied with 44, Miller scoring 19.

Baldry, Cpl. McGuinness, Higgins, Ridley and Hocquard (Captain).

SECOND DIVISION

Lincolns:—Dean (Captain), Colclough and Stearns; Maughan, Worrell, and Robson; Clayton, Chapman, Tate, Pte. McGuinness, and Tons.

THIRD DIVISION

Recreio:—A. Quinn; B. Gaan (Captain) and J. Alves; H. Remedios, D. Gill and C. Coelho; C. Santos, A. Pereira, D. Aquino, H. Campos and J. Casijho.

Reserve:—C. Marques.

Lincolns:—Makin, Martin and Remedios; Wildy (Captain); Parker and Thompson; Matthews, Dudley, Dudley, Salinas, Harper, and Clark.

R.A.S.C.:—Abbott, Powell and Clarke; Buckland, Gray and Todd; Wiltsey, Eycott, A. N. Oiler, Hay and Fullbrook.

#### To-morrow.

#### SECOND DIVISION

Club v NAVY (Club, 2.45 p.m.)  
BORDERERS v Kowloon (Kowloon, 2.45 p.m.)  
Y. Indians v S. CHINA (Athletic, 2.45 p.m.)

#### THIRD DIVISION

BORDERERS v R.A.S.C. (Happy Valley, 2.54 p.m.)  
RADIO v Recreio (Happy Valley, 2.45 p.m.)  
R.A.F. v LINCOLNS (King's Park, 2.45 p.m.)  
R.E. v University (Happy Valley, 4.15 p.m.)

#### Sunday

#### FIRST DIVISION

Recreio v S. CHINA (Kowloon, 4.15 p.m.)  
Athletic v LINCOLNS (Club, 4.15 p.m.)

#### SECOND DIVISION

Athletic v LINCOLNS (Club, 2.45 p.m.)

#### PROBABLE TEAMS

FIRST DIVISION

Recreio:—E. Marques; R. Silva, Netto and J. Bowen; G. Goncalves, N. Delgado and W. Maher; T. Castilho, G. Gutierrez (Captain), H. Bousse, J. Gomer and J. C. Santos.

Lincolns:—Heath, Edmanson, Turner; Dudley, Cork and Betti; Fullbrook.











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By Eric Partridge (Routledge, 21s.)  
Nearly 600 pages of close print; and all about words coined by people mostly not of the reading kind. Mr. Partridge, with a thoroughness commoner in Germany than in England, but a humour commoner in England than in Germany, has set himself to write the history of slang in England, with subsections on American and Dominion slang, school slang, University slang, Cockney slang and the slang of various professions.

The definition of slang is as difficult as the origin of the word is obscure. As Mr. Chesterton said of the elephant: It is difficult to define it, but one knows one when one sees one. And if definition be attempted, no single description will suffice. For there is slang which is rosters' slang, slang which is school slang, and slang which is language in the making: for every idiom, every metaphor, begins as slang. Slang is experimental language. Some of it sticks (which is slang) and some of it does not perish becomes incorporated in the language, and then they call it "idiom."

## Why Slang Exists.

Mr. Partridge gives fifteen reasons for the origins of slang. I cannot catalogue the whole fifteen. "Sheer high spirits" is one. "To be different" is another. "To be picturesque" is another. "To lessen the sting of, or on the other hand to give additional point to, a refusal, a rejection, a recantation," is another. "To show that one belongs to a certain school, trade or profession, artistic or intellectual sets, or social class," in brief, to be "in the swim" or to "establish contact" is another. I dare say that had he thought longer he might have produced thirty reasons for slang instead of fifteen. The facts remain that slang exists, and that a great deal of accepted English was once slang.

There is almost a hierarchy of slang, as Greenough and Killredge implicitly show when they say that "to mortgage one's reputation" is as essentially a slang phrase as "to be knocked out" in an examination (exam?) but there is a considerable difference in the vulgarity of the expressions. "To come a cropper" may be said to stand midway between the two. "At fault" (from a dog that loses the scent) is a dignified idiom.

This last example illustrates a very frequent and important characteristic of slang: the tendency of slang words to rise in the world (ennobling, it may be called), for "at fault" has, within thirty years become standard English. This ascent is recognised by most writers on English. . . . In Weekley's Etymological Dictionary, many slang words and phrases ignored by previous lexicographers are historically explained, for the excellent reason that "in the past the slang of one generation has often become the literary language of the next, and the manners with distinguish contemporary life suggest that this will be still more frequently the case in the future."

That is the truth: a hundred years hence the King's Speech at the opening of Parliament may contain such a phrase as "We are fed up with the state of the world."

Mr. Wodehouse's Part.  
I have read this enormous book through, astonished at the dead Elizabethan and Georgian vocabularies, astonished also at the number of slang words that have persisted through centuries, astonished again by the size of the professional slang vocabularies. But what pleased me most of all was the passage about Mr. P. G. Wodehouse. The historians of contemporary literature invariably overlook him. They write about all sorts of eccentric poets and morbid novelists, but they take no notice of him because he is so popular—just as they ignore that great short-story writer Mr. W. W. Jacobs. Here, in a learned, and almost pedantic, work about slang, he comes into his own; apparently, throughout his career he has recorded current slang more faithfully than anybody else. Little did Mr. Wodehouse think when he was chronicling the adventures of Ukridge and Wooster, that he would be giving the professional text. But he was; and, a thousand years hence, learned doctors of Berlin will probably be quoting him as an authority.

Hitler On The Hitler  
SpiritFury Against Jews And  
Pacifist Fools

## "NATURAL ENEMIES" DENOUNCED

(By E. C. BENTLEY)

The public now have the opportunity of forming an opinion on Herr Hitler's famous work, the first English translation of which appeared on October 13.

It is not to be judged merely as a book. The importance of it to his innumerable readers is that it is the work of Hitler, written before the days his party gained power. It is a formless mixture of autobiography—which is by far the best part of it—crude political philosophising, and ferocious partisan rhetoric.

Oriental scholars who do not happen to be Moslems describe the Koran as a decidedly bad book. So is "My Struggle"; but the followers of the Prophet do not, by all accounts, set more store by the one than do the followers of Herr Hitler by the other.

## Mohr Oratory.

In neither case are the faithful seeking the gratification of a literary taste. The Nazi enthusiasts want to have what Hitler stands for in Hitler's own words; and the wilder the words the truer they are to the worshipped personality of "the Leader."

Herr Hitler would not be flattered by any pretence of admiration of his book as an intellectual triumph. He has the deepest contempt and hatred for those who are "stuffed with knowledge and intellect."

He remarks in one place that if the Emperor's chief Minister in 1914 had been a less highly educated man, "the German grenadier's heroic blood would not have been shed in vain." One recognises the tone of that—a tone that rings through all these 280 pages. It is the tone of the mob-orator.

One can imagine it uttered with that screaming vehemence and passionate beating of the breast which is described by those who have heard Herr Hitler on the platform.

But his thinking on the subject of the war, as on other subjects, is not trammelled by consistency. In one place the German defeat is attributed to intellectualism in high places, in others the cause of it is declared to be "the Jewish menace"; and that, of course, is the point which Herr Hitler is most concerned to drive home. According to this view of the facts, the German conduct of the war was a miracle of efficiency up to the very last.

## Semitic "Corruption."

He writes:  
The defeats on the field of battle of August, 1918, might have

been borne with the utmost ease. It was not they which overthrew us; what overthrew us was the force which prepared for those defeats, by robbing the nation of all political and moral instinct and strength by schemes which had been under way for many decades.

The "schemes" in question were Jewish. It is the principal contention of this strange book that the Jews have not merely been a fatal element of corruption in the racial life of Germany, but that each individual Jew has been a member of a conscious and deliberate conspiracy against that life. It is the "innate greedy brutality" of the Jew that urges him to the destruction of the Western World.

Herr Hitler, of course, is a fanatic. He claims to be a fanatic, and insists repeatedly that any political doctrine that is not held and taught fanatically, and with the extreme of intolerance, is worthless. More than once he illustrates this point by reference to the history of Christianity; as thus:

The greatness of Christendom lay not in any attempts to reconcile itself with the philosophical opinions of the ancients, which had some similarity with its own, but in unrelenting and fanatical proclamation and defence of its own doctrines.

The Chancellor, in fact, feels not the least embarrassment in comparing his political "movement" with a Church which bases itself upon a Divine revelation of spiritual truth. If the Church refuses to compromise, why should the National Socialist German Workers' Party stoop to do so?

Fanatics, admittedly, are prone to delusions. Among Herr Hitler's delusions in connection with anti-Semitism is the conviction that it was he who opened German eyes to the saving grace of that political conception. Jewish influence was dominant, he suggests, because of "the ignorance of the mass of the people as to the true nature of the Jews, and the lack of instinctive perception in our upper class."

Yet those who knew pre-war Germany used to think of it as the active centre of fanatical anti-Semitism in Western Europe.

## Finding A Scapegoat

The Germanised Houston Chamberlain's huge and fantastic book, "The Foundations of the Nineteenth Century," which has been called the Bible of anti-Semitism, was a best-seller in Germany years before the war. The old

JEFFERY FARNOL  
AGAIN

## The Way Beyond

The Way Beyond. By Jeffery Farnol. (Sampson Low, 7s. 6d.)  
"The Broad Highway" was one of Mr. Jeffery Farnol's happiest and most popular efforts, and every reader who came under its spell will be interested to find Sir Peter Vibart, Charmian, Black George, and others making a welcome reappearance in "The Way Beyond."  
Sir Peter and Charmian are now in middle life, the fond parents of a 20-year-old son who has fallen in love with the daughter of Black George. In Mr. Farnol's world the course of true love cannot be expected to run smooth, and certainly Richard and Rosemary have to battle with enormous difficulties. This is a very pleasing, elegant and mannered story, bathed in the light that never was on sea or land—and none the worse for that. For the rest, it is sufficient to intimate to Mr. Farnol's admirers that he has once more picked the lock of the door leading to Romance.

German nobility prided itself on its anti-Semitism, and resented the Emperor's association with wealthy Jews.

Herr Hitler, in fact, learnt his anti-Semitism from an earlier generation. He could not possibly make that prejudice more violent or more unintelligent. But it was reserved to him to make it more effectively ferocious.

The anti-Semitic fury of Herr Hitler's book is the outstanding thing about it. There is no universally accepted explanation of the hold of Hitlerism upon Germany; but unquestionably the frantic demagoguery of the attack on the Jews is one of the few essential elements. What one feels in reading "My Struggle" is that it is a response to the demand for a scapegoat for military defeat and for the results of post-war political ineptitude.

There are others to be hated, of course. Among the natural enemies of Germany are her own "pacifist fools" and believers in "the madness of internationalism." But the true villain of the piece is the Jew, plotting the destruction of civilisation and the enthronement of Jewish malevolence on the ruins.

## National Self-Idolatry

Another delusion of which much is made in these pages is the essential feebleness of pre-war Germany. It suffered from "universal half-heartedness" and from "pusillanimity"; its education did not produce "practical ability," but "pliability" and "weakness of will-power," which accounted for the German being "little respected." It had not the Hitlerite spirit.

The world will fail to recognise this portrait of the Germany which created in half a century an economic development without parallel, a great colonial empire and a mighty navy. It may rather be said that the fatal weakness in all that towering achievement was precisely that element of the Hitlerite spirit in it.

Crazy national self-idolatry, belief in ruthless brutality glorification of war—these things are preached in this book with a new extravagance of intensity. But they were not unknown in Hohenzollern Germany; they were its ruin. For Herr Hitler they are counsels of salvation.

What do Herr Hitler and his "movement" require of the world? According to this book—which Herr Hitler wishes all good Germans to take as their guide—the German nation must have "the territory which is due to it on this earth." It must aim at "the winning of fresh territory in Europe," not merely the frontiers of 1914, which "mean nothing in respect of Germany's future."

And for this purpose Germany should seek the alliance of Great Britain and Italy! This agreeable programme hardly calls for any comment.

## Learn to Stop Talking

In order to fit itself for its Hitlerite destiny, the new Germany must abandon the "senseless and dangerous aberration" of Parliamentary democracy; acknowledge as sacred "the authority of the individual"—whomever that may happen to mean; do away with a free Press—that "evil power in the State"; reform a school curriculum "ninety per cent. of which it does not need"; be fully trained, to arms; and "learn to stop talking."

On the other hand, talking is all-important. The growth of every great movement is due to great speakers and not to great writers. It should be said in conclusion that this book is marked by an appalling sincerity. That is one of the most respectable ones.

## Galsworthy's Best Seller

Publishers Rationing  
The Orders.

## LITERARY NEWS AND NOTES

(By JAMES BARRIE)  
London, Oct. 8.

John Galsworthy's last novel, "Over the River," looks like selling better than anything he has ever written.

Every one seems to be asking for it, and the demand has become so great that the publishers are actually rationing the orders that keep pouring in!

The book was published on October 3 and by October 8 the first edition of 50,000 copies was exhausted.

Four years ago Lord Rosebery persuaded Winston Churchill to write a life of the Duke of Marlborough.

It took him the four years to do it, and during that time he spared no pains to collect every bit of material which was available.

He made journeys to all Marlborough's battlefields, both here and abroad, and obtained special permission from the King to go through the Stuart manuscripts at Windsor Castle.

He wrote mainly late in the evenings, part by hand and the other he dictated. Already this well into the second volume of this big task.

The first volume appeared on October 6. Harrop's, the publishers, told me that the second impression of it was exhausted before publication.

Another Best Novel.  
Mr. Gollancz is giving us on October 14 what he claims to be the best novel he has ever published. I consider this a bold statement from a publisher of Gollancz's high reputation.

The book is "Three Cities," by Sholem Asch, and is an immense trilogy telling of revolutionary Russia in Petersburg, Moscow and Warsaw.

The author was born in Warsaw, but after the war was naturalised an American in New York where he wrote and had produced several plays.

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## DEATH

STEPHENSON.—On November 1, 1933, in London, J. W. Stephenson, non-resident secretary of the Chinese Maritime Customs, stationed in London.

## The China Mail

Hong Kong, Friday, November 10, 1933

## Economic Chaos In Irish Free State.

Though the Hitler regime came later to Germany than the rule of Fianna Fail to the Irish Free State, the spirit which animates them both is essentially the same. It is the spirit of utter intolerance, nor is it confined to the two countries mentioned. In every quarter of the globe, individual rights in even the pettiest particulars are being restricted. In England, meetings of the most diverse kinds can take place without serious interruption. In the curiously named "Free" State, freedom is by no means so secure. No reasonably minded neutral is able to discover any great and impassable gulf between General O'Duffy's United Ireland party and the supporters of the Government, nor can he see, even if such a gulf existed, why the former party should be denied elementary rights. Yet, merely because that party dares to claim a separate identity and to criticize adversely the Government's disastrous policy, its meetings are either broken up in disorder or held under the protection of armoured cars and machine-guns. Belated protection, General O'Duffy calls it, with his head bandaged as the result of blows which, he says, the police did nothing to prevent. Take what view of it one may, the political conditions thus revealed as existing among the Free State's community cannot be called happy or healthy. How many of the world's changes bring half the promised blessings? Consider the continual assertion and assumption that if only the English influence were removed Ireland would speedily know unbroken peace and prosperity. To-day, England's interest has to all intents and purposes gone, yet one looks in vain to find the Eden of fraternal contentment. The Kilkenny cats have the clothes-line to themselves. It is Irishmen who are at grips with Irishmen, and the sole discernible difference is that the slightly more reasonable

group is being harried and harried and hounded by the followers of an embittered fanatic, himself by birth an alien. Meanwhile, of course, the economic war goes on, at a cost which Southern Ireland cannot for ever sustain. Mr. de Valera, who made at the outset the unforgettable boast that he had "fired the first shot" in that war, recently declared that he would be glad to end it if only Britain would show some sign of reason. Nothing more unconsciously amusing has been said on the subject. It is strange how rich in humour the humourless can sometimes be. At other times, he affects a lofty indifference towards export trade (it being abundantly proved that no foreign market to take the place of the British can be found) and insists that Ireland can be self-sufficient. An opponent recently reminded him that there was gross inconsistency in pretending to ignore the British market and at the same time providing bounties to enable his producers to reach it. But we have not heard what his answer was. The answer which his supporters at Tralee give to those who dare to differ is simply mob violence. That well-known Irish journalist, Mr. Denis Gwynn, writing in the current "Nineteenth Century," believes that Mr. de Valera has played his last card, cannot revoke the Public Safety Act without incurring ridicule, and will probably force an early general election against an Opposition which is still far from united. He might win, on a wave of such passionate unreason as has just been felt at Tralee. But while that is a possibility, there is one point about the prevailing lawlessness which is certain, and it is this: The people of the Six Counties are not blind; they have their eyes on these degraded scufflings. Can either Mr. de Valera or General O'Duffy be so foolish as to think that this "private war" which their battalions are conducting is calculated to win the heart and opinion of Ulster? But then, the Fianna Fail's favourite cares little or nothing about hearts. He has said—another of his memorable pearls of speech—that Ulster is a rock to be blasted out of his path. At present, however, he is finding his own flints troublesome enough, and when he has finished with them, the rock of Ulster will still be there. Behind that rock stand men who can see in the southward aspect nothing to attract them. They have no desire to learn a foreign language, and but little in common with those who try to speak it. The methods of General O'Duffy and Mr. Cosgrave might conceivably gain them over in time. But the method of Mr. de Valera never will.

## HERE, THERE and EVERYWHERE

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A famous physician once stated that the four stages of drunkenness could be considered under the headings:

- (1) Jocosose;
- (2) Bellicose;
- (3) Lachrymose;
- (4) Comatose.

An American medico-legal expert's definitions were even more vivid:

- (1) Dry and decent;
- (2) Delighted and devilish;
- (3) Delinquent and disgusting;
- (4) Dizzy and delirious;
- (5) Dazed and dejected;
- (6) Dead drunk.

Each of these stages depends on the amount of alcohol in the blood.

Needs for New Tests

A British medico-legal expert points out that a concentration of more than 6 per cent. of alcohol in the blood represents the level at which life is endangered, and would be produced by the taking of 1½ pints of proof spirit or two gallons of beer, supposing that the beer were drunk within a short time.

A state of moderate intoxication, induced by .153 per cent. in a man's blood has resulted from taking in one dose or in repeated doses in a couple of hours, four pints of beer on an empty stomach.

If the same amount were taken with a meal the concentration of the blood would be retarded, and the proportion in the blood would not rise above .1 per cent.

These facts show how difficult it is to rely upon ordinary tests for degrees of drunkenness, and that it is important that the law should now consider the question of degrees of drunkenness in their relationship to motoring.

## Your Daily Smile

QUITE!

"The modern wife has many angelic traits," says a novelist. No. 1: Continually going up in the air and harping on something or other.

Sweet and Thirty.—A lady novelist thinks that thirty is a nice age for a woman. It is, especially if she happens to be forty.

How to Uncork Your Husband.—"How can I get my husband to discuss his business affairs with me?" inquires a correspondent. "Ask him when he intends to buy a new car."

Fair Exchange.—To his spouse shouted poor Willie, "The laundry's infernally silly; They have lost my best shirt This week, that's a cert. And sent me back something all frilly."

Poisoned Smiles.—"Why do you always call your wife 'Honey,' Mr. Brown?" "Well, honey has always disagreed with me."

Time's Footprints Barred.—"My wife is always pleased with the latest wrinkle." "So is mine—provided it isn't on her own face."

WAS IT NOT?—A golfing correspondent wants to know who made the first bunker. I have always understood that it was a Scotsman who lost his ball down a rabbit hole.

Digging In.—Pam—"Hasn't Harvey ever married?" Beryl—"No, and I don't think he intends to, because he's studying for a bachelor's degree."

Unpopular Punctuation.—"Give an example of period furniture." "Well, I should say an electric chair, because it ends a sentence."

## Facts You Did Not Know.

Coffee has been cultivated in Venezuela since 1784, when the first seeds were brought from Martinique.

Vegetable matter is destroyed and wool reclaimed from rags, for further use by a new carbonisation process.

Equipped with short wings, an Italian boat driven by an outboard motor has made a speed in excess of 45 miles an hour.

## DOUKHOBORS: THEIR LIFE AND BELIEFS EMPIRE'S COMMUNIST COMMUNITY

NUDISM NOT A CULT

(By William Aitken.)

Canada is still trying to assimilate the strange morsel she swallowed some 35 years ago, when, hungry for new settlers, she admitted 7,000 Doukhobor refugees from Tsarist Russia. These strange, lovable, stubborn people, whose life of toil and worship in the Canadian West has brought them wealth which they do not want and responsibilities of citizenship which they do not understand, are one of the Dominion's biggest sociological problems. They will continue so for many years.

Their faith, kindled in Tsarist Russia, hardened by persecution and handed down from generation to generation, is primitive Christianity in essence and practice. They live according to their own literal interpretation of Holy Writ. To interpret the dicta of the Gospels otherwise than as printed is, to them, the worst blasphemy. It is chiefly their refusal to accept or even compromise on this matter that has kept them in trouble with their neighbours almost from the day of their arrival.

## A Wealthy Community

The 17,000 people who now dwell in the various Doukhobor communities in Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia own co-operatively thousands of acres of wheat and timber lands, orchards, grain elevators, sawmills, fruit canneries, machinery sheds, barns and warehouses. They have the most up-to-date machinery for large-scale farming that money can buy.

Their total assets have been estimated at well over \$2,000,000.

Their villages and homes are run on Communist lines. They have always managed their own affairs without police, priests, doctors, lawyers, economists or books. Each village has its bath-house, which every man, woman and child is compelled to use.

The Doukhobors would rather starve than catch the fat trout which laze in the Kootenay River past their farmlands in British Columbia. They have, in fact, a low opinion of flesh-eaters in general. This fact is vividly illustrated by a letter addressed by a member of the Doukhobor community to a Government official in British Columbia.

The Doukhobors (he wrote) have heard a lot of talk that they do not comply with English laws. This is absolutely true and O.K. For English people eat meat (pauget!), smoke (phevet!), chew tobacco (juicy), drink alcohol, spirits and beer (boozed), and go to war (what for?). The English law is based on these points, but we are fortunate. We do not comply with these laws. All people who eat meat have beastly instincts, the same as cats, dogs, wolves and tigers.

I have more than once seen one of these people allow a swarm of mosquitoes and blackflies take their fill of blood from his cheeks rather than risk killing a living creature by an impatient gesture.

They refuse to kill even the rattlesnakes which menace their children playing in the fields.

## Nudism Not Practiced

Though they are intensely religious, Doukhobors have no prayers or ceremonies, no priests or churches, rituals or altars, or even regular places of worship.

Members of one of the stricter communities, which is known as the "Svobodniki" or "Sons of Freedom," even object to the burial of dead bodies. Their custom is to take the corpse to some piece of vacant land and leave it there, naked, to decompose.

The police have not yet succeeded in stamping out this practice. The Doukhobors do not, contrary to general belief, make a cult of nudity. But, like many primitive communities, they see nothing wrong in it.

Since the first group marched naked into Yorkton one sunny spring day many years ago and perceived the effect upon the sensibilities of their new neighbours they have come to look upon nude parades as one of their most effective weapons of passive resistance.

When some 3,000 nude men, women and children started one of their famous protest marches into Winnipeg many years ago the only thing that would induce them to return to their settlement was a threat of deportation to Russia. For them this meant the knout and the risk of violent death.

## Death Before Surrender

During one of their frequent clashes with the British Columbia Government over the non-payment of taxes, Peter Verigin, the Doukhobors' patriarchal leader, who has since died, announced that rather than submit he would have all the old people and young children of the colony flung into the Kootenay River. He later explained to the large force of Royal Canadian Mounted Police who immediately appeared on the scene that he was speaking only figuratively.

Their enthusiasm for nudity never really wore off, notwithstanding threats of deportation, imprisonment, cold water, and even floggings from outraged neighbours—until about four years ago a bright young inspector of police dispersed the biggest nude parade ever held in British Columbia with tear bombs and lath powder.

Doukhobors dislike paying taxes, sending their children to school, census taking, military service, and the registration of births and deaths. They fear everything and anything which they think may bring them into closer contact with the world, the flesh and the devil.

It has long since been realised, of course, that it would be a hopeless task to persuade the adults to change their ways, but it was hoped that the growing generation, as happened in the case of other foreign communities, would be educated into Canadian citizenship.

Ottawa spoke. The Doukhobor children must attend the schools of their country. At first, the leaders pretended to agree. The schools were built, and teachers engaged, and the opening day came. No children showed up. Negotiations were resumed. Further promises were made, and a few children actually appeared, but attendance and progress was meagre, for as soon as a child showed any interest or familiarity with reading or writing he was withdrawn from the school.

A few children destined for leadership in the community were allowed to remain, but they received daily admonitions in their homes to counter any possible "contamination."





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## CIVIL WAR

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Murphy never moved. His prone body was stiff, with the flesh lying loosely on the rigid bones, like a waiting animal at bay. Light spread, whitening, sparkling, warming the roof. Sounds approached. At first came the rumble of rubbered wheels and the dull thumping of a motor. Then the rumbling sound stopped with a thud and there was a clatter of feet. Murphy grunted, shifted his elbows and stretched his heels out wide. Turning his head around slowly, he stared at Dolan. His eyes were bloodshot and almost closed. "They're coming," he said. "Good-bye. See ye in hell."

The puffed flesh on his cheeks trembled as he laughed silently without opening his mouth. Then he started for a few more moments at Dolan and turned to his front, grinding his teeth and levelling his Mauser pistol slowly towards the sounds.

Dolan also went rigid. His jaws set. His eyes opened wide, staring senselessly without seeing anything. He stopped thinking. His whole body waited. What?

Trup, trap, trip. They came. They were still invisible. The narrow street curved a hundred yards to the left. They would come around that corner, past a blank wall that faced an inward-curving black-painted shop front, with J. WALSH, GROCER, painted on it in white.

J. WALSH, GROCER, in white letters, and a blank wall. Dolan stared at them, first one, then the other, senselessly.

Suddenly two green-clothed men appeared, walking slowly on either side of the street, their rifles at the high port, their caps set rakishly on the sides of their heads, one man chewing a long wisp of white straw, both staring upwards at the windows of the houses. They halted, spoke to another and then one looked behind and twisted his right hand above his head. He paused with his hand raised and then shot it forward and brought it stiffly to his side. Signal. Advance. They marched on. Two more men appeared. Then three more, all marching slowly with their rifles at the high port.

Murphy growled and then his body heaved as he guarded his laughter silently. They were walking into his trap. He was waiting until they came beneath him, at close range. Then he would fire.

But Dolan. As soon as he saw them, his heart began to beat violently and his brain again began to work. He had no fear of them. He had forgotten that they were enemies, that he had been fighting them for four days. He had ceased to be a revolutionary. He was a prisoner, he thought, at the mercy of a murderer and madman, and here was hope of delivery. He tried to cry out to them and wave his hands, but somehow the terrible power of the man beside him drove his tongue to the roof of his mouth and rendered his hands lifeless. He could only shiver and make inarticulate movements with his pallid lips.

They came closer. He could see the buttons on their tunics glimmering and the curious casual expression on their faces, as if they were strolling along carelessly. God! Why could they not know that he was here, in danger of

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death? Why were they coming like that so carelessly when Hell!

Murphy moved, his right arm stiffened. The squat muzzle of his gun jutted downwards sharply. He was going to fire. Dolan screamed and threw himself on the prone body. With a growl Murphy whirled around, dashing his elbow back-wards into Dolan's ribs. Dolan's light frame was hurled backwards with a slithering sound on to the slates of the roof. He fell on his back and slipped sideways into the gutter, with his face upwards, the head bent forward and the eyes staring at Murphy's.

Murphy pointed his gun at Dolan's face. "Ha," he said. Then there was a sharp crack. Dolan thought he was dead. But it was Murphy that was hit. His mouth opened wide and he fell backwards for a moment and then turned himself, twisting his body curiously all on the right side. His left side was helpless. There was a bullet in the upper part of his chest beneath the left shoulder. They had fired from the street.

Dolan threw back his head and lay flat. He still thought he was dead. His brain was whirling round at an amazing speed. There were revolving red circles before his closed eyes, and the extremities of his limbs seemed to be firmly bound with enormous weights that were dragging him downwards ever so slowly and yet leaving his body on the roof. He waited in terrible silence, hearing nothing.

As soon as the soldiers had fired they ran, taking shelter in a lane, a little way up the street on the left-hand side. Murphy had fired blindly, two rounds, but he had hit nobody. The bullets splattered against the edge of the black-fronted shop, making little dull white spots, side by side. Then he waited.

Suddenly there was another crack and Murphy's body shivered. His head bent backwards and he put his right hand to his throat. He was hit again, in the left shoulder near the neck. Immediately blood spurted out through his blue sweater. His mouth opened, his tongue came out, and then his lips closed, gripping the end of his tongue. He closed his left eye, and with an immense effort levelled his gun at a chimney.

Silence. Crack, crack, crack. He fired three times rapidly. There was a yell and a man threw up his hands, curving forwards, with a rifle held straightwise in them. Then he fell forward and lay stretched across the chimney, writhing. Another man jumped up and tried to drag him off, stooping low. Murphy fired again. The other figure fell back. Was he hit?

Deafening. A Lewis gun splattered farther up. A whizzing stream of bullets passed in front of Murphy's face, moving from side to side in the air as they whizzed, not near his face. He ducked and lay still. Crack, crack, crack. Crack. They were all at him, firing from all sides. Pieces of brick from the chimney stack and slivers of the glass from the roof pattered on his back. Still he was silent, waiting for the but-

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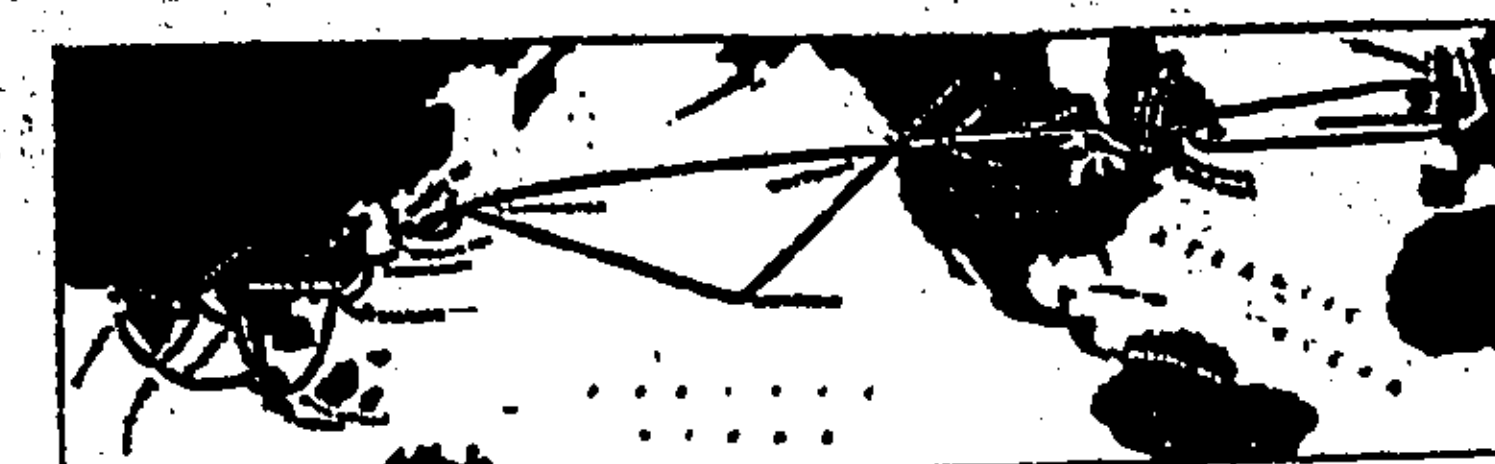
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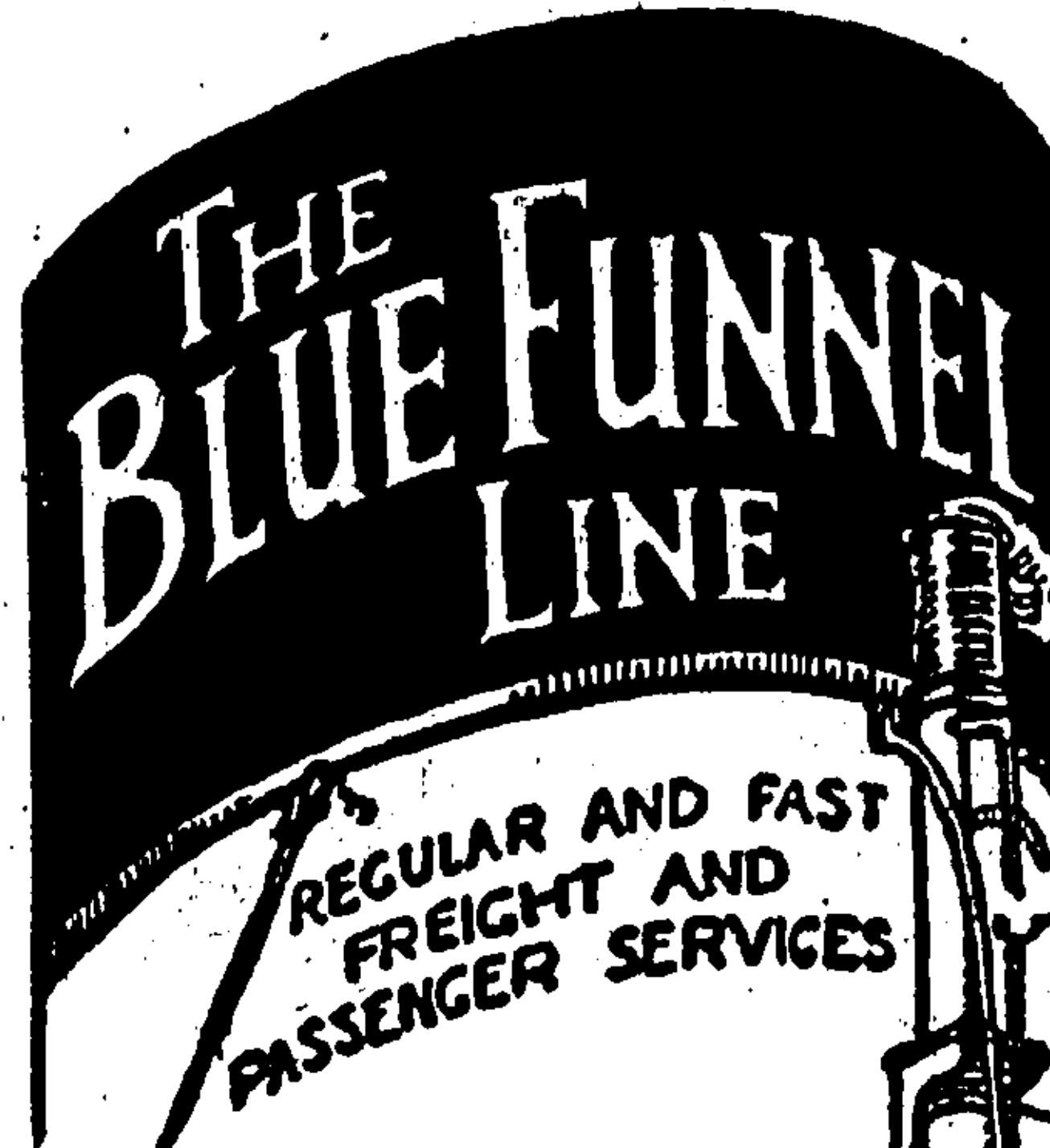
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CHITRAL	15,000	2nd Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
SONALI	6,000	9th Dec.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RANCHI	17,000	16th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CARTHAGE	15,000	30th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
BANGALORE	6,000	6th Jan.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
NALDERA	16,000	13th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CORFU	15,000	27th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
BHUTAN	6,000	3rd Feb.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RANPURA	17,000	10th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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RAWALPINDI	17,000	24th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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COMORIN	15,000	10th Mar.	Marseilles & London.
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BANGALORE	6,000	20th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
TALMA	10,000	30th Nov.	Amoy, S'hai Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
CARTHAGE	16,000	1st Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
NANKIN	7,000	8th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
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COMORIN	15,000	9th Feb.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
BURDWAN	6,000	22nd Feb.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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## CIVIL WAR

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Waiting, he thought of Dolan. He would finish him off now, the traitor. He felt himself getting very weak. Only one side of him was alive. Death was coming rapidly. He would get him though. Slowly he turned his head, brushing his skull against the low wall of the gutter, so as not to raise it against the background of the slates, on which the bullets were pattering. Then he had to bring his right arm around under his elbow and move his right knee up under his hip. He was a long time shuffling and groaning with the terrible pain of his wounds.

Dolan heard him move and started with terror. This movement brought him back to consciousness again, like a man waking suddenly from a nightmare on hearing a noise in his room. He thrust forward his head, opened his eyes and saw Murphy's face, all covered with blood, staring at him; and the muzzle of Murphy's pistol, veering round.

He uttered a scream and, planting his elbows under his hips, he jerked backwards along the gutter. Murphy growled and made a sudden movement, raising himself a little to present his pistol and fire at the same time. But just as he raised himself to fire, his head jerked upwards, the bullet fled from his gun harmlessly into the air above his head, and he fell backwards, banging his skull against the gutter. He had been shot through the brain. He lay perfectly still.

The firing stopped. Soldiers were calling to one another from across the street. Dolan lay perfectly quiet looking at Murphy's body.

Would he jump up now and raise his hands above his head? No. As soon as the thought of getting really into contact with the soldiers came into his head his terror of them came back. He again realised that they were his enemies. A cold perspiration broke out all over his body and he crouched lower on to the roof, trying to push his body in through the slates, to hide himself. Then he fell on his knees and bent forward, chattering, and fluttering his clanking hands.

"Take me out of this. Take me out of this. I didn't fire. I didn't fire. He was mad. My wife, my wife. I declare to God I never fired. Two men on the stairs. Murphy is his name. Take me out of this." There were two of them there, peering over the ridge of the roof, five feet away from his face. Only their faces, their arms and their rifles were visible. Two cruel, cold faces, staring coldly at him. Gradually he saw the faces growing colder and more cruel, the lips curling into a snarl and the eyes narrowing. Then one man said: "Let's give it to the—"

They both fired point-blank into his head.

## FIGHT AGAINST MALARIA.

Conference At Salonica.

Salonica.  
Measures to fight malaria, which is causing great suffering to the population of Macedonia and Thrace, are being discussed by a conference of over 100 Greek doctors here.

Dr. Balfour, Director of the Rockefeller Institute at Athens, and other eminent doctors are attending.—Reuter.

## King of Iraq at 22



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## DOUKHOBORS: THEIR LIFE AND BELIEFS

(Continued from Page 8.)

Peter Veregin II, the present leader of the sect, was one of those children. Although he is, comparatively speaking, well-educated and speaks fluent English, even he has great difficulty at times in differentiating between Satan and His Majesty's Government in Canada.

### Ideal Education Demanded

About eight years ago the Government decided to enforce the school law. Unfortunately this decision coincided with one of the periodic religious waves which swept over the Community. The Doukhobor leaders declared that they were quite willing to go to jail, but they would not have their children taught English.

Schools were burned. Doukhobors were fined; sales and confiscations and occasional imprisonments continued intermittently until the leaders capitulated.

One of the typical objections made against the schools by Doukhobors has been that the teachers were "too flippant." They were accused of dressing in brilliant colour wearing short skirts, bobbing their heads, and, worst of all, setting an undesirable example to Doukhobor maidens by walking out as late as 10 o'clock in the evening with their men friends.

Here is the ideal teacher, as described by the elders of one community:

"She must be young, brave and clever. She must not drink alcoholic beverages, take snuff or smoke cigarettes. She must go to sleep at nine o'clock every evening. "She must not have musical instruments in her home, and she must not tolerate playing cards, draughts, dominoes or other games of the devil in her presence."

How to overcome and break down the groundless suspicions, ignorance and enmity of these people is a problem which only education can slowly solve. And when once the Doukhobors can be made to understand that their liberty, customs and religion are not in danger at the hands of the Canadian Government we shall see the gradual death of a Communist "Imperium in Imperio" within the British Empire.

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TALE OF TWO DOGS

Sydney, N.S.W.

He would not take a prize in a dog show—the black spot on his white head suggests the intrusion of a terrier strain into his Pomeranian ancestry; but for the greatness of heart and loyalty to a friend he can take his place without fear among the proudest aristocrats of his race.

They had been playing together recently, "Blackie" revelling in the antics of her new-found friend.

As the afternoon drew on, "Spot" wearied of gambolling among the bushes with the little black Pomeranian, and the two dogs wandered away from the park at Daceyville, near Sydney to explore the greater variety of the surrounding district.

Barking at motor cars, snapping playfully at pedestrians, the happy pair had a great time until, in a tragic moment, "Blackie" ran under the wheels of a passing lorry.

One yelp and her playing days were over.

The pathetic little body was carried to the side of the road, with "Spot" jumping and barking, wondering what new game the humans and his friend were now playing.

Soon he realised that all was not well, and with a cry that was almost human, lay over the still warm body, protecting it with his paws from the cold, and from the too inquisitive gaze of passers-by.

When a motor car drew up dangerously close to the two little bundles in the gutter, "Spot" grasped "Blackie" by the leg and dragged her a few inches away to greater safety.

All through the night he kept watch, shivering with cold and as he lay over his dead friend, but fierce in his defiance of any intruder who approached too closely.

As the day drew on he was still there, still waiting, possibly in the hope that "Blackie" would get up, bark that it was all a joke, and scamper around with him again.—Reuter

## NEW RULE FOR NEW YORK MOTORISTS.

Clear Streets Needed For Police Cars.

New York.

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The Public are reminded that dutiable articles sent by Letter Post to the United Kingdom are liable to confiscation by the Customs. Such articles should be sent by Small Packet Post or Parcel Post. Letters must not be enclosed in Small Packets or Parcels.

### AIR MAIL SERVICES.

Correspondence for Europe and intermediate countries will be accepted for transmission by these Services. Rates and all particulars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the General Post Office and Kowloon Office. All letters etc. must be marked "By Air Mail" and handed in at the General Post Office and Kowloon Office.

## INWARD MAILS.

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11.

London Parcels only—London, 5th October ... Hector  
Japan and Shanghai ..... General Lee  
Manila ..... Tauyama Maru  
Japan ..... Ghujo Maru

### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13.

U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 20th October) ..... Pres. Taft  
Japan and Shanghai ..... Taiyo Maru

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14.

Japan ..... Akita Maru  
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15.

Japan ..... Toyoaka Maru  
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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16.

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## OUTWARD MAILS.

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12.

Bangkok via Swatow ..... Kwei Yang ..... 9 a.m.  
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa ..... Hwan Maru ..... 9 a.m.

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14.

Manila, Makao and Sourabaya ..... Tjisadane ..... 9.30 a.m.  
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu and San Francisco—due San Francisco ..... Pres. Taft ..... 4.30 p.m.

8th December—and Europe via Siberia ..... Taiyo Maru  
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## MANY RIVAL CLAIMANTS TO AFGHAN THRONE

Period Of Disorder Anticipated.

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Peshawar, To-day.  
Another period of disorder in Afghanistan owing to the many rival claimants to the throne, is anticipated by well-informed circles here.

It is considered that Shah Mahmood Khan, the War Minister, whom it is believed will be instrumental in proclaiming the new King, occupies a strategic position.

Hasham Khan, the premier, is at present touring the northern provinces, and has not yet declared his hand.

Shah Wali Khan, brother to Nadir Shah, the late King, who was assassinated on Wednesday, and Afghan Minister in Paris who is also the Ghau Suddin of the Ahmed Zaigilzai tribe, is credited with the intention of seizing power.

A section of the public favours the return of ex-King Amanullah, who abdicated in 1929, to the throne.—Reuter.

## NOBEL PRIZE FOR PHYSICS.

Englishman Shares With Austrian.

Stockholm, To-day.  
An Englishman, Mr. Paul Dirac, has been awarded half of the Nobel Prize for Physics, 1933.

The other half goes to Professor Erwin Schroedinger, of Austria. The Prize in 1932, was awarded to Professor Werner, of Heisenberg, Leipzig.—Reuter.

## SLUM CLEARANCE IN BRITAIN.

44,000 Houses Annually To Be Provided.

London, To-day.  
Referring to his request to local authorities to submit without delay schemes for the total abolition of slums within five years and the provision of alternative accommodation, the Minister of Health, Sir Hilton Young, informed the House of Commons yesterday that the schemes already received indicated that an average of about 44,000 houses annually for five years would be provided.

The Minister mentioned that houses built in Britain without State assistance in the year ending

## ECONOMY CUTS IN BRITAIN

Teachers Want Salaries Restored.

### CHANCELLOR NON-COMMITTED

London, To-day.  
In the House of Commons, yesterday, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, was asked whether he would consider the restoration of the economy cuts made in the salaries of teachers and members of the Services, and in unemployment benefits.

He said, "The Government would be very glad if they could safely answer these questions in the affirmative. "No greater mistake, however, could be made than to assume, prematurely, that the normal conditions of security and prosperity have been established, and at present I can only repeat that a relaxation of the conditions imposed by the necessities of the situation two years ago will be considered as and when the general circumstances of the country permit."—British Wireless.

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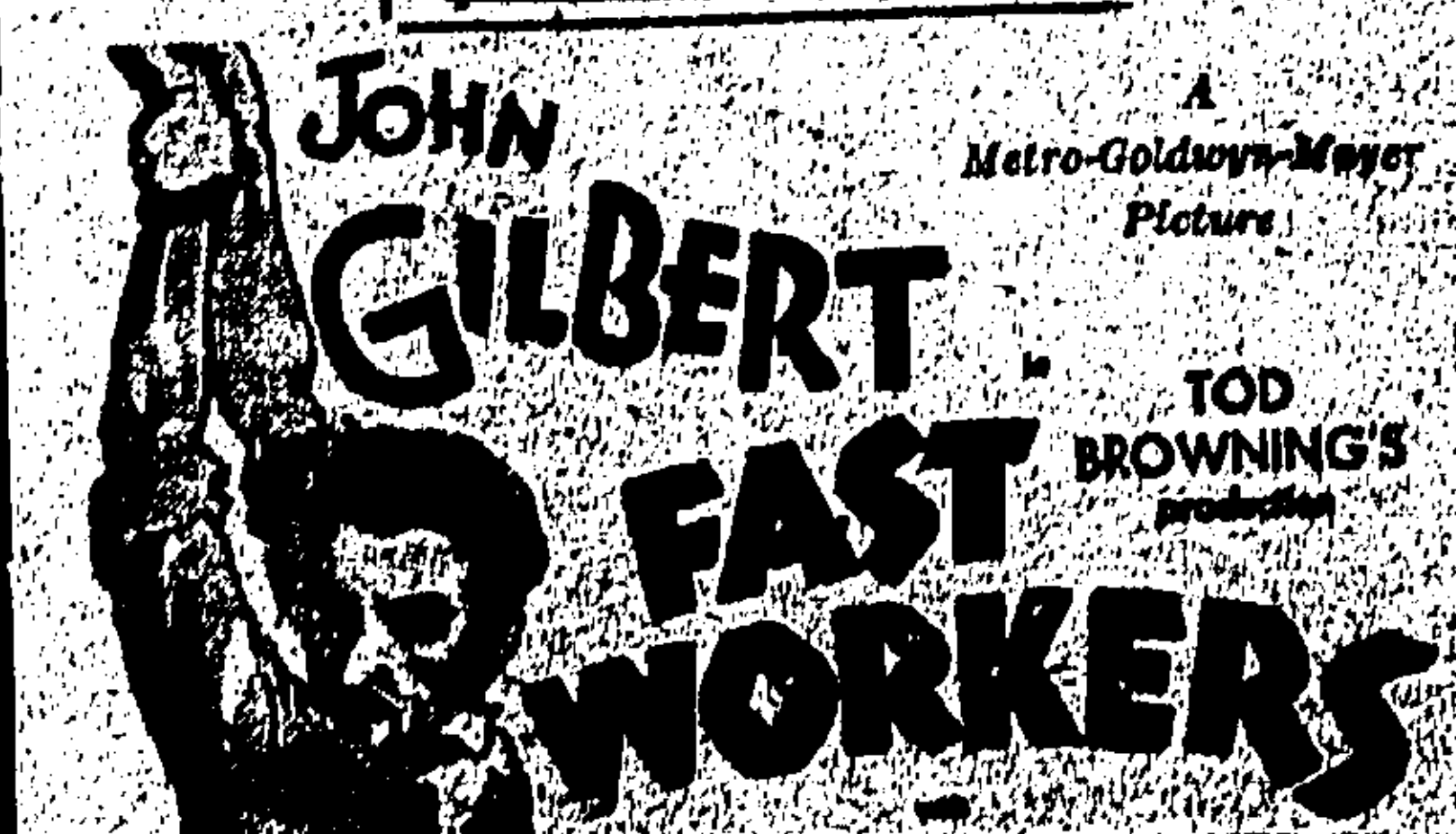
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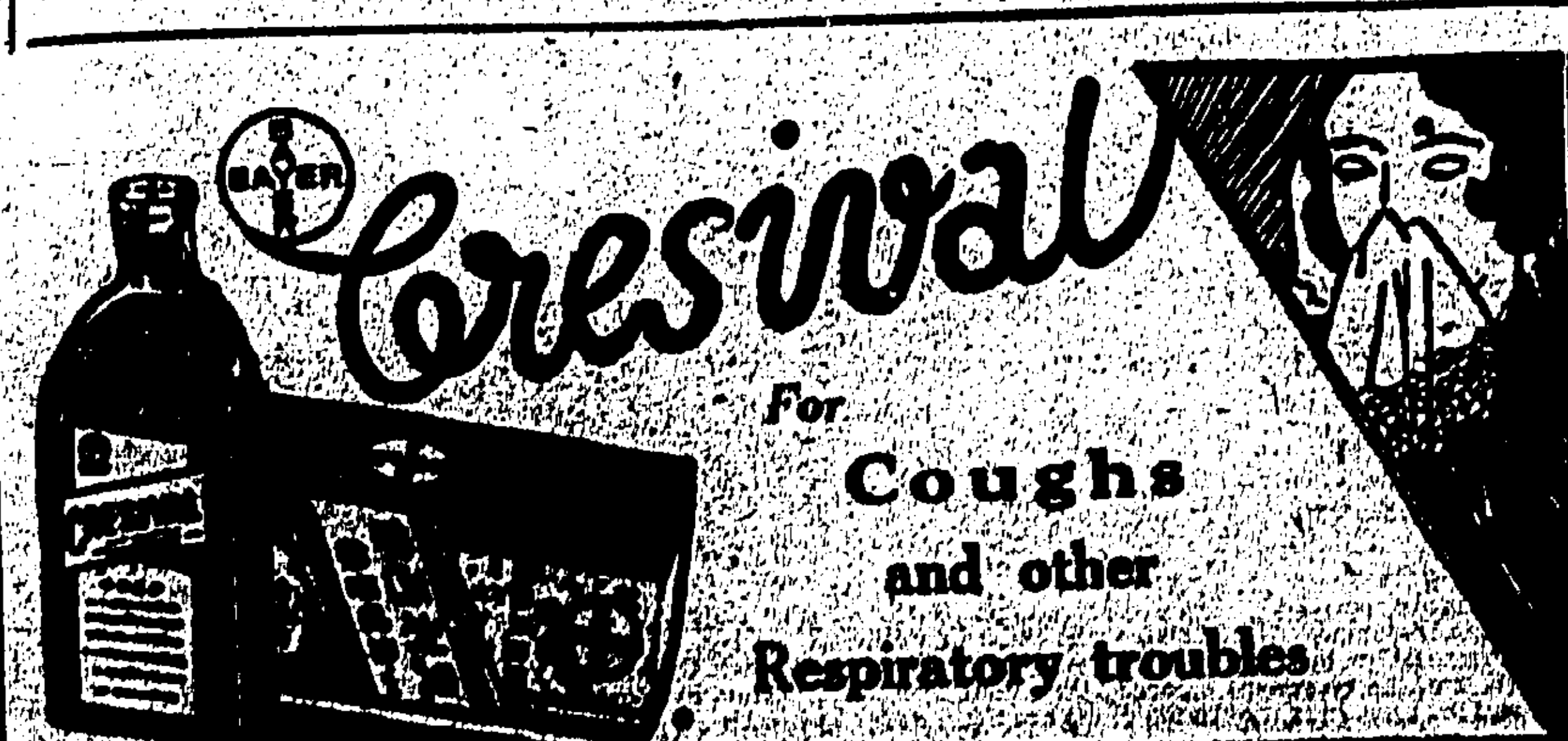


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